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Dire consequences foreseen if Palesky prevails

By ALISON ALOISIO

Last week Vern Maxfield, Woodstock's town manager, presented selectmen with his calculations on the potential impact on the town of the Palesky tax cap initiative.

The board had some tongue-in-cheek suggestions on how they would cope if it passes.

Leon Poland said that personally, he would use his snowmobile to travel to and from his home in the winter, because the town wouldn't have money to plow the roads.

Steve Bies suggested a volunteer Board of Selectmen meet only once a year, to set the tax commitment.

If all of the facets of the

'People have got to understand that this is serious.'

VERN MAXFIELD
Woodstock town manager

Palesky plan were in effect (see sidebar) for this year's budget, the town would fall short on paying its bills by \$747,885, Maxfield said.

The proposal, which is on Maine's November ballot, would roll back all assessed property values to their FY'97 levels, limit annual valuation increases to no more than 2 percent, and cap the mill rate at 10.

It does provide for towns

to exceed the cap for the purpose of paying debt that was approved by voters before July 1, 1999.

The measure would prohibit the Legislature from amending the new system — any changes would have to be approved by a 2/3 vote in another state referendum.

And even if individual towns vote against the Palesky plan in November, they would still have to implement it if it wins

statewide.

If approved, the initiative would take effect April 1, 2005.

Woodstock breakdown
Woodstock's total 2004 appropriations of \$1,678,097 are broken down as follows: \$901,608 for municipal expenses; \$710,367 for SAD44; and \$66,122 for the county.

After allowing for \$468,927 in state revenue sharing and other income, Woodstock needs to raise \$1,209,169 from taxes.

Maxfield expects the mill rate this year will be roughly 11, applied to a town valuation of around \$95 million, to

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How MMA says the numbers would work out here

By ALISON ALOISIO

Two parts of the Palesky proposal have been identified as unconstitutional by justices of the Maine Supreme Court — the valuation rollback and the 2 percent cap on valuation, according to the Maine Municipal Association.

"If it passes," said Woodstock Town Manager Vern Maxfield, "it'll be in court the next day."

The measure, according to MMA, also attempts to grant towns new authority to raise other taxes or fees not based on property values. Currently, the Constitution does not allow such power.

Two calculations

In anticipation that the courts might formally rule out the rollback and valuation cap, MMA has calculated the impact for each town in Maine under two scenarios — the "as writ-

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Bethel to meet on tax rate

By MICHAEL DANIELS

At a special Town Meeting set for Monday, Sept. 20, Bethel voters will decide if they wish to use money from undesignated fund balance to lower their tax bills.

That decision is usually made at the annual Town Meeting in June, but this year the question was not on the warrant. (However, \$170,000 from fund balance was used to cover the settlement of a long-standing legal battle over the manner in which the town had valued timeshares.)

The matter had been inadvertently left off the Town Meeting warrant, said Dutch Dresser, chairman of the Board of Selectmen, after both the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee had voted in budget workshops against such a move.

"Since neither the Budget Committee, nor the Selectmen, recommended use of undesignated fund balance for tax reduction during the budget cycle, the article was inadvertently left off the annual meeting warrant, Dresser said. "The selectmen agreed unanimously at a recent meeting to allow the matter to be addressed by the townspeople as has become customary," he said.

At the time of the June meeting, former selectman Bob Chadbourne objected to the fact that voters did not have the option of using surplus to offset a tax increase.

That increase this year was significant — nearly 9 percent. Had it been implemented, the town's tax rate would have jumped from \$15.50 to \$17.34.

In a memo to the Selectmen and Budget Committee, Town Manager Scott Cole noted that in order to avoid short-term borrowing the town attempts to maintain an undesignated fund balance equal to roughly 15 percent of the total budgeted expenditures for a given year.

This year, the town's budget is \$5,197,498 — 15 percent of which would be \$779,625.

The closing fund balance for FY 04 was \$1,154,117 (the figure has yet to be audited, and is likely to change somewhat,

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SCRAPPIN' & STAMPIN' FOR SOLDIERS
Several dozen people turned out Saturday for 'Scrappin' & Stampin' for Soldiers' at the Jackson Silver Legion Post in Locke Mills. Participants learned new techniques for completing scrapbooking albums and stamping projects. The event raised funds for an effort to send monthly packages to six servicemen from West Paris who are currently serving overseas. Here, Gina Lavoie of Andover, Laura Steckino of Auburn and Heidi Dock of Auburn (formerly of Bethel) enjoy sharing their scrapbook projects. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

Tornrose tapped as new TMS principal

By ALISON ALOISIO

Former Telstar High School teacher Russ Tornrose has been hired as the new principal of Telstar Middle School.

The SAD44 School Board on Monday unanimously approved the appointment of Tornrose, who taught English at the high school from 1989 to 1998.

He currently serves as an adjunct professor at the University of New Hampshire. From 1998 to 2002, he was principal of Noble High School in Berwick.

A graduate of Princeton University, Tornrose holds a master of education degree from Boston University, and is currently working on a Ph.D. at UNH.

Supt. Dave Murphy — who with the board's Personnel Committee has spent the past four months searching for a principal — could hardly contain his enthusiasm.

"I'm absolutely thrilled," he said. "I think the kids and staff at TMS will benefit from the presence of a true leader."

Tornrose, who attended Monday's meeting, said he decided that he wanted to be part of a school setting again. "I'm very excited about it. I'm totally committed to public schools," he said.

He has been hired under a two-year contract. He will be paid \$72,000 the first year and

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Students from 23 states, seven countries begin new school year at Gould

By JOHN NESBITT

Monday marked the beginning of classes at Gould Academy. This year's student body of 206 represents 23 states and 7 countries.

New students arrived last Wednesday, and returning students moved back onto campus on Saturday.

After a day of orientation activities last week, 86 new students, accompanied by faculty members and senior student proctors, set out for three days of backpacking or canoeing in the White Mountains and on nearby lakes and rivers.

On their return, they joined Gould's returning students at an all-school assembly.

Head of School Dan Kunkle welcomed the students and told the story of a team of mountaineers that made the first all-female ascent of Annapurna in 1978.

For six weeks, the team of 11 climbers worked together placing gear and establish-

ing several camps high on the mountain as they prepared for the summit attempt.

Unlike many mountaineering expeditions, all of the women actually became physically stronger as they worked together preparing the route.

All the while they knew that not all of them were likely

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The Citizen shows the flag at West Point

By MICHAEL DANIELS

It wasn't the act you'd want to follow.

In the classroom pit, Jack Jacobs was probing the cadets with tough questions — thought-provoking salutes that challenged any easy assumptions the they might have held about "the media."

From their seats, arranged in rising circular rows around the pit, the two dozen cadets were giving back as good as they got.

A retired U.S. Army Colonel, Jacobs is a Medal of Honor recipient and currently a commentator on military matters for NBC/MSNBC.

Small but wiry, well muscled and animated, he worked the audience like the old West Point instructor he was.

But in two minutes his time would be up, and after a ten-minute break your local newspaper editor would be tossed into the pit.

Media and Politics

I was in West Point last week at the invitation of Col. Russell Howard, a career Special Forces officer who is currently head of West Point's Social Sciences Department, and of the Academy's Combat Terrorism Center.

Howard and his wife, Paula, own a condo in the Carriage House, and they try to escape at least once a month from the hectic pace and heavy responsibilities of West Point to the peace and quiet of Bethel.

Back at West Point, one of the courses offered in the Social Sciences Department is "Mass Media and American Politics."

Howard invited me to share my take on media and politics as they interact at the local level.

So, after Jacobs was through, and the break had passed, I

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OPEN HOUSE
at Crescent Park School TONIGHT!
Thursday, September 16, 2004
Please join us from 6:30-7:30pm
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Letters

HE DESERVES A FAIR HEARING

To the Editor:

The other shoe has fallen. When the Town of Greenwood voted this past March to accept a Recall Ordinance, it was only a matter of time before a petition was filed to recall Selectman Ivan Roberts. A petition has now been filed, and we will be called upon to vote on Mr. Roberts' recall within the next month or two.

The purpose of this letter is not to defend Mr. Roberts. I did not vote for him when he ran for selectman and I have an open mind on his recall if sufficient evidence of wrongdoing on his part is presented. But that is the problem. Recall of a validly elected public official is a significant and for Greenwood a precedent-setting event. Unfortunately, the Recall Ordinance adopted by the town does not contain any procedure or standards that would insure a fair hearing for Mr. Roberts or anyone else who might in the future be subject to its sketchy provisions. That is why I asked the selectmen at their last meeting to make sure the Town Meeting on the recall petition is conducted in a fair and orderly manner consistent with the democratic principles we all espouse. At a minimum, a fair hearing should include the following procedures:

- 1) Mr. Roberts should be furnished with a written statement of charges. Obviously, Mr. Roberts cannot defend himself if he does not know the specific reasons why his recall is being sought. Providing a statement of charges will also benefit the selectmen seeking Mr. Roberts' recall because, with the assistance of the town attorney, they can focus their attention on precisely what wrongful acts Mr. Roberts committed to justify the recall.
- 2) The two selectmen and others seeking Mr. Roberts' recall should provide evidence at the hearing that supports the charges that have been made against him. Those supporting the recall petition have cited Mr. Roberts' inability to work with others and his volatile temper as reasons for his removal. As one who will be called upon to vote on Mr. Roberts' recall, I need to know how those characteristics, if proven, negatively impact the efficient running of the town. Democracy, after all, allows public officials to have different visions about how best to represent those who vote for them.
- 3) Finally, the selectmen should spell out some standards that would warrant recall. For example, criminal conduct, misuse of public funds, exceeding authority, etc. Mr. Roberts was voted a selectman by a vote of the Town Meeting and, absent evidence of serious misconduct, he should be allowed to serve out his three-year term. Many of us are troubled by the emergence of recall petitions around the country, e.g., California, as a way to nullify valid elections. As a result, such action must not be taken lightly.

I have great respect for the selectmen and other public officials in Greenwood. They work long hours for our town with little or no compensation. Public service is often a thankless task and it is important not to discourage future candidates from running for office out of fear they may be summarily recalled if they upset some people in carrying out their duties.

Based on my past experience, I trust the selectmen to do what is necessary to see that the Town Meeting on this recall petition is conducted fairly.

Henry Stewart
Greenwood

WHAT GIVES YOU THE RIGHT?

To the Editor:

To the anonymous person who is speaking "on behalf" of their neighbors regarding property owned by my niece and her husband on the Howard Pond Road in Hanover: who exactly are you speaking for? As the next-door neighbors had no involvement in this hateful piece of correspondence.

What gives you the right to judge how much pride a person has?

When was the last time you took time out of your busy day to bake cookies for and visit an elderly and ailing neighbor?

We all have our priorities and what makes living in the "land of the free" so great is we make our own choices.

If your priority in life is to spend all your free time beautifying your personal property, that's fine. If your "insides" were as wonderful as your "outsides," we'd live in a much better world.

When you decide not to hide behind the cowardice of sending an unsigned letter and knock on your neighbor's door to collect and pay their property taxes, then maybe you deserve the right to dictate how that property is taken care of. Until then, mind your own business.

Jane Goddard
Hanover

A WONDERFUL TIME

To the Editor:

We want the community to know what a wonderful time we had at the BIG Adventure Center's Library Reading Program Day. The BIG Adventure Center and the Bethel Library deserve many thanks for a fun, affordable and family-friendly time.

Doug, Deb, Claire and Cassidy Webster
Bethel

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PROJECT OPPORTUNITY - A COMMUNITY TREASURE

To the Editor:

My name is Dan Cummings, and I am the chair of Project Opportunity, Inc., which is a non-profit corporation founded and operated for the exclusive benefit of Telstar Regional High School students. I have been a member of the Board of Directors of Project Opportunity for approximately three years, and I have been the chair for the past couple of years. During my tenure the board has taken steps to reach out to the SAD44 community and make it aware of the mission of Project Opportunity. It truly is a community treasure that all residents of SAD44 should know about. You will hear more from me as we continue to "get the word out" about this worthy endeavor.

Project Opportunity is a nonprofit, tax-exempt corporation formed in 1989 by Leslie Otten and Sunday River Skiway. Through their generous donations of money and time, Project Opportunity was launched as a vehicle to provide Telstar students with funds for post-secondary education. Project Opportunity funds grew significantly in the 1990s due to Sunday River's continuing generous financial support on an annual basis as well as the overall boom in the stock market. Although the stock market has not performed as well in the last few years, Project Opportunity's funds remain at a healthy level.

Each year Project Opportunity provides scholarship assistance at some level to each graduating student who applies for a scholarship and who actually attends an educational institution after Telstar. In addition to scholarship assistance, Project Opportunity also provides grant money to underclassmen who seek experiences outside of school that may inspire them to continue their educational pursuits after graduation. In a nutshell Project Opportunity provides financial assistance to Telstar students who aspire to and actually do continue their formal education after graduation.

Sunday River continues to be a good and generous corporate citizen by providing a significant annual contribution to Project Opportunity as well as providing a representative to sit on the Board of Directors. Starting about two years ago, the board has also reached out to SAD44 citizens and Telstar alumni by asking them to contribute financially to Project Opportunity's annual fund. The results have been promising. We will once again reach out this fall.

I know there are many requests for your hard-earned money. I hope that you will put Project Opportunity near the top of your list. Very few opportunities allow you to help in such a direct manner within your community, as does your financial contribution to Project Opportunity.

I hope you keep this in mind when you receive our invitation this fall to give to the annual fund. It truly does make a difference. I will be in "touch" with you with letters like this one providing you information about your Project Opportunity.

Daniel L. Cummings
Telstar Class of 1978

BETHEL RESCUE BASKET BINGO

To the Editor:

On Sept. 26, Bethel Rescue will host a Basket Bingo featuring Longaberger baskets and items. There will be many baskets offered as prizes and raffles. New and retired items are featured. There are also smaller non-basket items to win, as well. The bingo will take place at the Jackson-Silver Post 68 on Gore Road in Locke Mills. The doors will open at 11:30 a.m. and the games will start promptly at 1 p.m. The price for 16 games is \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door. Raffle tickets, 50/50 tickets and overall tickets are an extra price. Advanced tickets may be purchased until Sept. 23 at 6 p.m. by calling 836-2771 or by e-mailing grondin@megalink.net. Don't miss a great time of winning, raffles, snacks, and Longaberger. Get your ticket now.

We are also seeking small items and \$10 gift certificates to fill these baskets with to make them more appealing. Your tax-deductible donation can be picked up by Bethel Rescue by calling 836-7721 and leaving a message. We are in need of small gift items to organize by theme to fill the baskets. We appreciate any support no matter how small your business may be able to give.

If you are willing to help in any way, please don't hesitate to contact us. We hope with the continued support of this community we will be able to foster a successful fundraising event.

Cheryl Bennett, director
Dawn Grondin, Basket Bingo chairperson
Amy Hanscom, second assistant director

DANCE STUDIO THANKS

To the Editor:

The Toe Tappin' Jazz Dance Studio would like to thank everyone who helped make it possible for us to open in our new location at 192 Main Street, Bethel, in time for our regular dance season. We had to work fast and long hours to succeed, but with the help of many volunteers, friends and family, we did it.

A special thank you goes out to all of you who dedicated your time, knowledge and hard work: John and Bonnie Marshall, Dave and Sheri Wilson, Rob and Lisa Lauro, David Berry, Doug Zinchuk, Tammy House, Scott and Heather Groves, Amanda Jordan, my parents, my husband and an extra special thank you to my daughter Tiffany for spending the entire month of August during her summer vacation to work day and night with me doing everything imaginable. There are no words to express the appreciation and love I have for all of you.

Dance lessons have begun and are going great with lots of smiling faces. It's not too late to sign up for classes: home (665-2164) or business (824-6522).

Maryanne Jordan
Bryant Pond

Palesky

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raise the money.

But under Palesky, taxes would be based on the 1997 town valuation of \$43,863,408, with the mill rate limited to 10. That would allow only \$438,634 to be raised.

State law requires that school districts and the counties get their full share. So the \$747,885 shortfall would be cut from the municipal side.

"People have got to understand that this is serious," Maxfield said.

He and other representatives from area towns attended an MMA information session in Paris last week.

Kim Sparks, Greenwood town manager, said she would meet this week with other town officials to assess the impact.

Bethel selectmen are expected to discuss the matter at their next regular meeting, on

Sept. 20.

SAD44 approves resolution

At its meeting Monday evening, the SAD44 School Board approved a resolution prepared by the Maine School Management Association opposing the Palesky Initiative.

Superintendent Dave Murphy said he hoped more information concerning the potential effect on school systems would be available in time for the board's next meeting.

Murphy said that because SAD44 towns currently raise more than 10 mills toward education, "We'd be faced with a school budget that's going to absorb every penny a town can raise," he said. "What are the prospects for a budget in that situation? It would be defeated, or the board would have to cut it."

Murphy also expressed con-

cern at the state's apparent plan to gradually phase in the school funding directive of the Question 1 referendum, which was approved in June.

Question 1 called for the state to assume 55 percent funding of education statewide. The plan was seen by many voters as a means to provide property tax relief.

Currently, SAD44 receives 37 percent of its funding from the state.

Murphy said if the full implementation of Question 1 is delayed, frustrated taxpayers may be more tempted to approve the Palesky measure.

He urged area residents to ask state representatives and candidates what their position is on the implementation of Question 1.

(For calculated impacts on other area towns, see sidebar, page 1.)

Impact

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ten" proposal, and one that leaves out the rollback and valuation cap factors.

Following are the calculations under each scenario for local towns. The figures are based on 2003 budgets and tax commitments.

Andover (\$763,105 total tax commitment): "As written" loss would be \$262,469; without rollback/valuation cap, \$171,240.

Bethel (\$3,109,031 tax commitment): "As written," \$1,338,067; without rollback/cap, \$560,327.

Gilead (\$392,565 tax commitment): "As written," \$281,810; without rollback/cap, \$126,634.

Greenwood (\$1,038,940 tax commitment): "As written," \$404,056; without rollback/cap, \$238,008.

Hanover (\$288,229 tax commitment): "As written," \$101,400; without rollback/cap, \$72,109.

Newry (\$2,536,012 tax commitment): "As written," \$889,228; without rollback/cap, \$175,013.

Woodstock (\$1,065,093 tax

commitment): "As written," \$379,865; without rollback/cap, \$142,314.

Like Proposition 13
The Palesky Initiative is similar to California's property tax cap — known as Proposition 13 — that was passed in 1978, according to information on the MMA Web site.

It has also been compared by some to Massachusetts' Prop. 2½. But Prop. 2½ allows local voters to override that cap.

For more information on Palesky, visit the MMA site at <http://www.memun.org>

Letters to the Editor

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

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Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN K. BROWN

10 years ago: Crescent Park School fourth graders were hiking up Mt. Will to learn more about geography and forestry.

Bethel Savings Bank began offering the convenience of an Automatic Teller Machine at its Bethel branch.

Randy Bennett, curator of the Bethel Historical Society, published a history, "The White Mountains, in old photos."

Births: Joshua Paul Head, Kourtney Lynn Burnham.

Deaths: Ralph J. Coulombe, Jane L. Wentworth, H. Raymond Heikkinen Sr.

20 years ago: Greenleaf Funeral Home was purchased by the Raymond-Andrews Funeral Homes.

Telstar band director, Harry Davis, had initiated plans for a community band and chorus.

Cadet Mark A. Clanton had been accepted into the U.S. Air Force Academy's Cadet Wing as a member of the Class of 1988.

Births: Shawn Elliot Bennett, Jonathan Capen Howe.

Deaths: John T. Gotjen, Mrs. Ida May Powers, Lewis T. Horner.

30 years ago: A large moose was making dooryard calls in West Greenwood.

The Mountain Valley Conference defending champion Telstar Rebels won their 20th consecutive football contest 22-8 over Messalonskee.

Moving into new houses were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stevens, Middle Intervale Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley L. Brown, Northwest Bethel Road.

Carroll Valentine and John Anderson resigned as members of the Bethel Planning Board. George Nickerson was appointed to succeed Mr. Valentine.

Births: Robin Lynn Michaud, David Thomas Hanscom, Stanley Christopher Cordwell, Molly Ann Gray, William Carl Smith.

Deaths: Mrs. Pauline B. Chapin, Raymond W. Holt.

40 years ago: Ralph Ryder was supervising principal at Crescent Park School. New staff members at the village schools were Mrs. Herbert Adams, Mrs. Richard Young, Donald Nichols, Thomas Hodgkins and George Sullivan.

Pvt. Scott C. Billings had completed an 11-week artillery track vehicle course at Fort Sill, Okla.

Hebron Academy had opened for its 160th year as an independent secondary school with an enrollment of 202.

Birth: Shannon Rae Wheeler.

Deaths: Isaac Watson Dyer II, Alden R. Mason.

50 years ago: Maine's Legislature enacted legislation extending Daylight Savings Time until Oct. 30.

West Paris athlete Don Doughty was seriously injured in an accident at Limestone Air Base where he was employed. His left leg was amputated six inches above the knee.

Margaret Joy Tibbetts, a member of the Gould Academy Class of 1937, spoke to Gould students with regard to educational preparation for service in the United States Diplomatic Service.

F. Owen Wight was assigned to Fort Dix, N.J., for U.S. Army basic training.

Births: Michael King Myers, John Andrews Wheeler.

Death: Mrs. Ella Goodnow Hale.

60 years ago: The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge, East Bethel, was destroyed by fire. Twelve cows, a pair of horses, and sow pig were lost, as well as most of the household furnishings.

70 years ago: F.W. Walker of Newry was pasturing some 300 head of the western cattle shipped to Maine from the drought area.

80 years ago: Work had started on the new bridge over the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railroad at the foot of Church Street. (Demolished after the completion of the current bridge in the mid-1960s.)

90 years ago: Two hundred forty tickets were sold at the Bethel Station for visitors to Norway fair.

100 years ago: Chauncey Bryant was enlarging his grocery store on Main Street (now site of Key Bank).

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Briefly

Tripp decision expected this week

PARIS — Oxford County Superior Court Judge Thomas Delahanty is expected to rule this week on former Police Chief Darren Tripp's attempt to nullify the 3-2 vote of the town Board of Selectmen that upheld his Feb. 12 firing by Town Manager Scott Cole. Tripp's attorney, Thomas Carey of Rumford, argued in court last week that two selectmen — Reggie Brown and Al Barth — were unfairly influenced in their vote by an earlier federal lawsuit Tripp had filed against the town. In the earlier action, Tripp was sought \$500,000 for what he claimed was a wrongful 33-day suspension in March of last year. In the civil action before Delahanty, Tripp is seeking to get his job back, and to recover back pay.

Sunday last day for swim pond

BETHEL — The swimming pond in Angevine Park will be open through the weekend and will close for the season on Monday, Sept. 20, according to Don Bennett, chairman of the Bethel Beach Committee.

Dumont offers to pay half of fence

BETHEL — Developer Francis Dumont last week offered to pay half the cost for building a fence or planting a tree buffer between his subdivision and Geoff Gaudreau's junkyard, if Gaudreau would pay the other half. Dumont is proposing to build a 32-acre subdivision off the Taylor Smith Road. Gaudreau has expressed concerns that children living in the subdivision might play on his property, the site of his salvage yard and car repair business. The Planning Board had denied a request from Gaudreau to require that Dumont build a fence. The board has asked the two men to try to resolve the issue themselves, and the matter was tabled until the next meeting, on Sept. 22.

Dunicans get day in court

PARIS — A jury trial got underway this week in which former Mt. Abram Ski Resort owners Randy and Kathleen Dunican are seeking between \$4 and \$5 million in damages from Camden National Bank. The Dunicans are charging that the bank, which foreclosed on the ski property four years ago, is guilty of fraud, misrepresentation and breach of contract. They claim that in 2000, they requested a quarter-million-dollar loan from the bank for improvements at the resort, and were given verbal approval to go ahead. But, they said, after they had spent a substantial amount of money, the bank reneged on the promise, leading to the foreclosure. The bank claims its employees did business with the couple in an appropriate way. The case is expected to take five to seven days.

Sticks and kicks for the alumni

BETHEL — "Old" Telstar High School soccer and field hockey players are invited to play in alumni games scheduled for Saturday as part of the school's Homecoming activities. Field hockey will play first, at 1 p.m. on the upper field. "We have sticks and safety equipment for any alumni that would like to play," said coach Gail Wight. The soccer game will take place at around 2 or 2:30 p.m., following the Telstar-Gould J.V. soccer game. "All former players, graduates, current faculty, coaches, parents, and community are invited," said varsity coach Tim Remington. "Food and T-shirts will be sold, and profits go to the soccer team."

West Paris man dies in crash

OXFORD — A West Paris man was killed in the early morning hours when the SUV he was a passenger in overturned off Route 26 in Oxford last Thursday. Curtis Chandler III, 32, of West Paris died in the crash, reported at around 1 a.m. The driver, 21 year old Joseph Scott, also from West Paris, was hospitalized with a broken arm and other injuries. State Trooper Michael Zabarsky said Scott lost control of the Chevrolet Blazer near the Route 121 intersection. The vehicle struck a ditch, went airborne and overturned down a steep embankment. Zabarsky said the cause of the crash remains under investigation. The two men were brothers-in-law.

Church to observe 40th

ANDOVER — The Calvary Bible Church will celebrate its 40th anniversary on Sunday, Sept. 19, with a special service, beginning at 10:45 a.m. The service will be conducted by past ministers of the church. It will be followed by a potluck dinner and a slide show of the history of the church.

Three arrested in pot operation

REGION — Three men were arrested in Oxford County Friday and charged in the cultivation of over 100 marijuana plants in Otisfield, Albany, Lovell and Harrison, according to Roy McKinney, director of the Maine Drug Enforcement Agency (MDEA), and Gerry L. Baril, special agent supervisor of the Lewiston Task Force Office. Agents from MDEA, Oxford County deputies, a state trooper, an officer from the Rumford Police Department, and one agent from the High Intensity Drug Task Force in Portland, executed a search warrant at 723 Scribner Hill Rd. in Otisfield. The search resulted in the discovery and seizure of 23 marijuana plants growing outdoors behind the residence. Arrested at the residence and charged with aggravated cultivating marijuana and aggravated trafficking in Schedule Z drugs, Class B was the occupant, Richard A. Priest III, 29. Also arrested was Kenneth J. McKenna, 31, with a last known address of 134 Grant St. in Portland. MDEA said McKenna was assisting in the care and maintenance of the marijuana plants, and charged with Class C aggravated cultivating marijuana. After the arrests of Priest and McKenna, the officers went to Round Rd. in Harrison and recovered three marijuana plants under cultivation at a home and additional small amounts of processed marijuana intended for personal use by the occupant, who has not yet been charged. The agents then went to the Patte Brook Rd. in Albany, to arrest a third man who they say was a co-conspirator with Priest and responsible for growing 140 marijuana plants in Otisfield, Harrison, Lovell and Albany earlier this year. Agents said the pair has also been involved over the past few weeks with harvesting, drying and distribution of marijuana. Derek W. Boutillier, 26, was charged with aggravated cultivating of marijuana, Class B. Boutillier was arrested after he was seen leaving in his vehicle and was stopped and taken into custody without incident. A search of his vehicle found an unloaded 44 Magnum handgun. The search of his home found another 36 marijuana plants — 16 plants growing outside and 20 plants under cultivation indoors. Additionally over three pounds of dried, processed marijuana and a rifle were seized. The three men were taken to the Oxford County Jail. Of the suspected 140 plants planted by the suspects in spring, the seizure recovered 82 plants and almost 3 1/2 pounds of processed marijuana for a total street value of about \$60,000.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Sunday, Sept. 12

At 3:35 a.m. Officer Ovide Richard responded to the Barker Road for a vehicle stuck on the railroad tracks. The driver said the sway bar on his car was not functioning and when he hit the tracks he lost control of the car, and got stuck on the side of the tracks. Relatives who came to help also became stuck. A tow truck responded and pulled the vehicles out.

Friday, Sept. 10

At 11:15 p.m. Officers Ovide Richard and Shane Thomas responded to Summer St. for a hit-and-run accident.

Thursday, Sept. 9

At 5:10 p.m. Officer Shane Thomas responded to the intersection of Route 26 and the Chandler Hill Rd. for a two-vehicle accident.

Wednesday, Sept. 8

At 7:35 a.m. Chief Alan Carr responded to a single-vehicle rollover accident on the Rabbit Road.

At 9:15 p.m. Officer Shane Thomas responded with an Oxford County deputy to a report of a domestic assault. Frank M. Miller, 26, was arrested and charged with domestic assault.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summons in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

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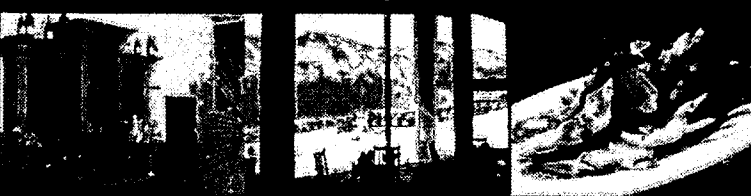


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FIRST SHOT—Howard Cole, 90, of Bethel realized a dream Sunday when he teed off from the first hole of the new Sunday River Golf Club in Newry. A lifelong golfer, he has been closely watching the progress of construction at the new course over the past year, and hoping he would get a chance to play it. The course had a "soft" opening on the weekend for its members. About 50 people played on nine completed holes of the new 18-hole course, which was designed by Robert Trent Jones Jr. and built by Harris Golf. The original plan called for the front nine to open in July. But, said Sunday River spokesman Susan Duplessis, "It has been a challenging construction season with the rain." She said that despite the rainy summer, construction has also progressed on the back nine. "Several holes have already been seeded, including 11, 12, 13 and 14, and others are in various stages of construction," she said. This coming weekend the course will be open for Sunday River hotel and condominium owners.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)



West Point

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was up.

A major question in any examination of the media and politics — even at the most local of levels — is how decisions are made regarding what is news, and how to go about presenting it.

I described for the cadets how we go about making these decisions at The Citizen, and noted some of the economic and social factors that shape such decisions at the local level.

The cadets responded with questions about what types of stories we run, how the balance is struck between news about local government and lighter, more entertainment-oriented fare, and to what extent story selection might reflect an editorial point of view.

Just as our focus at The Citizen is resolutely on the local, I tried not to let my answers wander too far off the local reservation.

(Could not, however, resist the temptation to go off message long enough to plug two essential correctives to stereotypes about the "liberal bias" of national media. "Outfoxed: Rupert Murdoch's war on

journalism," is an alternately funny/frightening DVD that dissects the techniques of the self-proclaimed "fair and balanced" Hyena News Network. "Manufacturing Consent: the political economy of the mass media" is a 1988 study, updated in 2002, by Edward S. Herman and Noam Chomsky. Using plentiful examples and tight reasoning, the authors argue that whatever the political leanings of individual journalists, the media institutions they work for serve almost exclusively to defend and advance the interests of the entrenched political and economic establishment.)

After class

The late-morning class was followed by lunch at the West Point Club.

The Howards, two members of his staff, Jacobs, and my wife Cathy and I were joined there by retired General Barry McCaffrey (Bill Clinton's "drug czar").

McCaffrey is also an NBC/MSNBC commentator, so there was the inevitable shop gossip, including a comparative analysis of the work habits of various network anchors.

But the conversation soon took a more serious turn, to the horrific unfolding of the hostage crisis in Beslan, Russia.

The opinion of the professionals at the table regarding the actions of the Russian military in such situations was not high.

Following lunch, Paula Howard treated Cathy and me to a personal tour of the historic West Point campus.

The day concluded with briefings on "America's Army," a highly popular computer game intended to bring the Army's message to potential recruits; and on the mission and structure of the Combating Terrorism Center.

At the end of the day
I hope the visit contributed a bit to the cadets' understanding of how local media goes about fulfilling its role in the community.

But I do know with certainty that it is impossible to come away from the United States Military Academy unimpressed by the intelligence, energy and discipline of the men and women involved with that most "absolutely American" of institutions.

(A limited number of "America's Army" CDs are available in The Citizen office. No charge, first-come, first-served.)

Tax rate

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according to town Finance Officer Nesta Littlefield).

On Monday, the selectmen voted unanimously to recommend to voters that they take \$250,000 from fund balance to lower the tax rate.

Dresser said Tuesday he supported the \$250,000 figure for two reasons:

"First, it appears, based on our experience over the last several years, that we can sustain this level of allocation from undesignated fund balance without having to borrow operating funds," he said. "As Reggie [Brown] pointed out last night, we have the added advantage at this time of year of having year-end figures to consider, which we don't have during the budget preparation season."

"Second, I supported the vote because taxing authorities at all levels must be acutely aware of Maine's unenviable position near the very top of the list of the states most burdened by taxes. The Budget Committee and Select-

men deliberate seriously over budget preparation; this recommendation seemed to me both responsive and responsible."

If voters agree to allocate \$250,000, the FY '05 tax rate would drop to an estimated \$16.13 (the actual figure will be affected by the amount of increase in the town's local valuation).

Monday's selectmen's meeting was intended to begin with a joint meeting with the Budget Committee, but only five of that committee's 12 members attended.

Without a quorum the committee could make no formal recommendation, but the four of the five members present indicated they supported using \$300,000 from fund balance.

That would lower the estimated tax rate to \$15.89.

The fifth member present, Chairman Pat Dooen, held out for \$350,000.

Airport operations

A second article on the spe-

cial Town Meeting warrant will ask voters if they wish to allocate \$4,700 from fund balance to be put toward operational expenses at the Bethel Airport.

Bethel town code stipulates: "Subject to Town Meeting approval, monies shall be annually transferred from the Town of Bethel general fund to the airport fund in an amount that is at least equal to the amount of taxes levied on real and personal property located within the airport perimeter fence in the previous fiscal year."

The \$4,700 figure represents the approximate amount of those revenues for the current year.

On Monday, the selectmen and five Budget Committee members all voted to recommend that the money be allocated to the airport.

The Sept. 20 special Town Meeting will be held in the Town Office meeting room, beginning at 7 p.m.

Tornrose

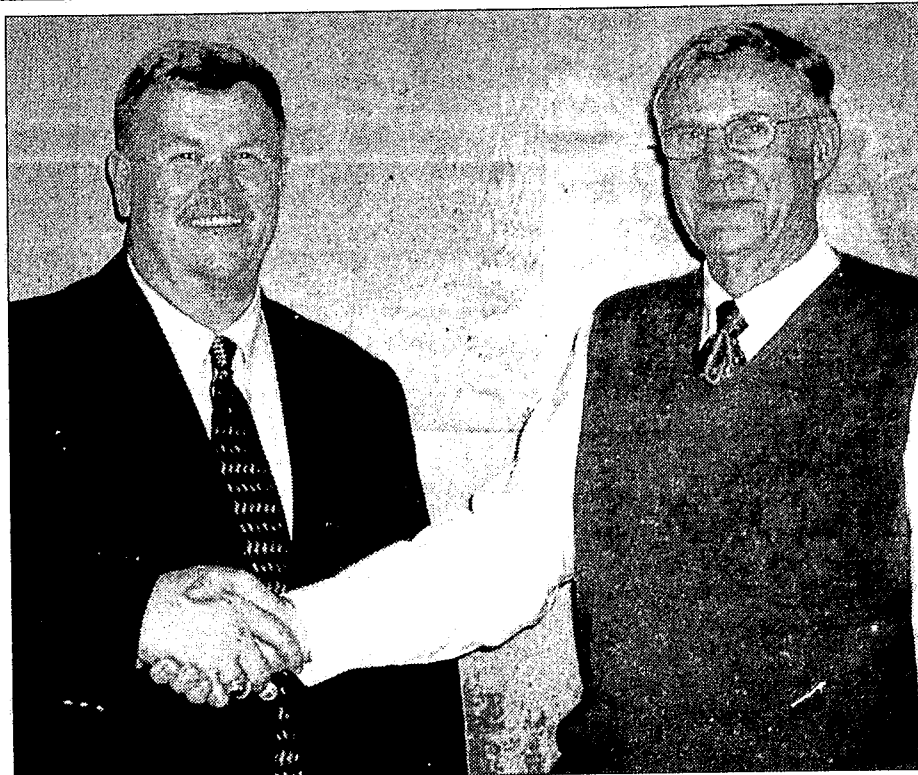
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\$73,440 the second. He is scheduled to start Oct. 1.

Ted Davis, former Telstar principal, has been filling in since the beginning of the school year in the recently recreated TMS position. (The principalship, which existed through the 1990s, was eliminated several years ago.)

SAD44
Superintendent David Murphy (left) congratulates Russ Tornrose on his new position.

(Photo: A. Aloisio)



Gould

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to reach the summit. When the time came to decide who would summit, several voluntarily withdrew themselves from consideration so that other teammates might have the chance to reach the peak.

The team succeeded in placing two of its members on the peak despite extreme avalanche danger throughout

their time on the mountain.

"This story serves to remind us all of the important opportunity that we have in this community to be a part of something greater than ourselves," said Kunkle.

"Just as these women joined together to achieve a difficult goal and became stronger through that effort, we are a

part of a community that can provide support, wisdom, and strength greater than any one member of the community ever could.

"In turn, each of us stands to contribute to the vitality of the community while enjoying its support in achieving our own goals."

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Bethel



by Virginia Keniston
Don and Eleanor Brooks are attending the New England Shrine

Convention in Ottawa, Canada, Wednesday through Sunday. Don plays in the Shrine Band.

Eva Poland and Eleanor Brooks attended a retreat, "Parade of Grace," in Gorham (Maine) over the weekend.

Edleen and John Winslow visited relatives in New Jersey, Pennsylvania and New York for five days recently.

Wilma Gorman fell at her home and broke her hip. She is at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

Sally and Paul Bodwell and Mary and Bud Paine attended the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Jenny and Lennie Bartlett in Hanover on Sunday.

Daisy LeClair sends heartfelt thanks to her many friends from Bethel for all the wonderful cards and lovely notes that she received in celebration of her 99th birthday.

Richard and Nancy Fraser of East Poland visited his mother, Doris Fraser, on the weekend and took part in the Model T Tour.

Heath and KaroleAnn Keniston of Ashland, N.H., with their two sons, Daniel and Andrew, called on Bob and Ginny Keniston Monday.

We are glad to know that Douglas C. Webster and family, Debbie, Claire and Cassidy, have moved to the old Bear River Tea House at Newry Corner and will be calling it "Bear River Trading Post." They will be selling gas, food and sporting goods.

Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge began the fall season with a lively game on Friday, Sept. 10.

The winners for the morning session were: North-South: first, Les Buzzell and Misha Tomic; second, Pat Quinn and Georgette Jewell; tied for third, Anna Cormier and Woodrow Mercier along with Pete Cummings and Dick Allen. East West: first, Bill Adams and Jim Flanagan; second, Marta Clements and Nancy Farmer; third, Mimi Bell and Arlen Riis; placing were Paul and Barbara Bee-gel.

Upton



by Eleanor LeComte
What a glorious weekend. Warmth, sunshine and cool, gentle breezes

prevailed. What a relief after the gray, dismal, rainy days of last week. Fall coloring has begun but it is late this year.

Two female hummingbirds still regularly visit the feeder. A frost looms in the distance so they had better get a "move on" and fly south. The geese have disappeared in the cove. They must have joined up with another flock to begin their fall migration. We complain about the mess they make but it's a bittersweet relationship we have with them when they leave with their new family in tow. Anticipation of their arrival next spring will always be in our hearts.

A belated "Happy Birthday" to Margaret Mitchell who was visited by Jackie Donovan and Hazel Marie recently. They came bearing birthday gifts and a delicious cake. Margaret is in her late eighties but is spryer than many in their fifties.

Visiting on Back Street for the week were Giselle and Real Cameron, longtime Upton campers.

Thank you to Buster Williamson and Dick Angevine for their kindness last week.

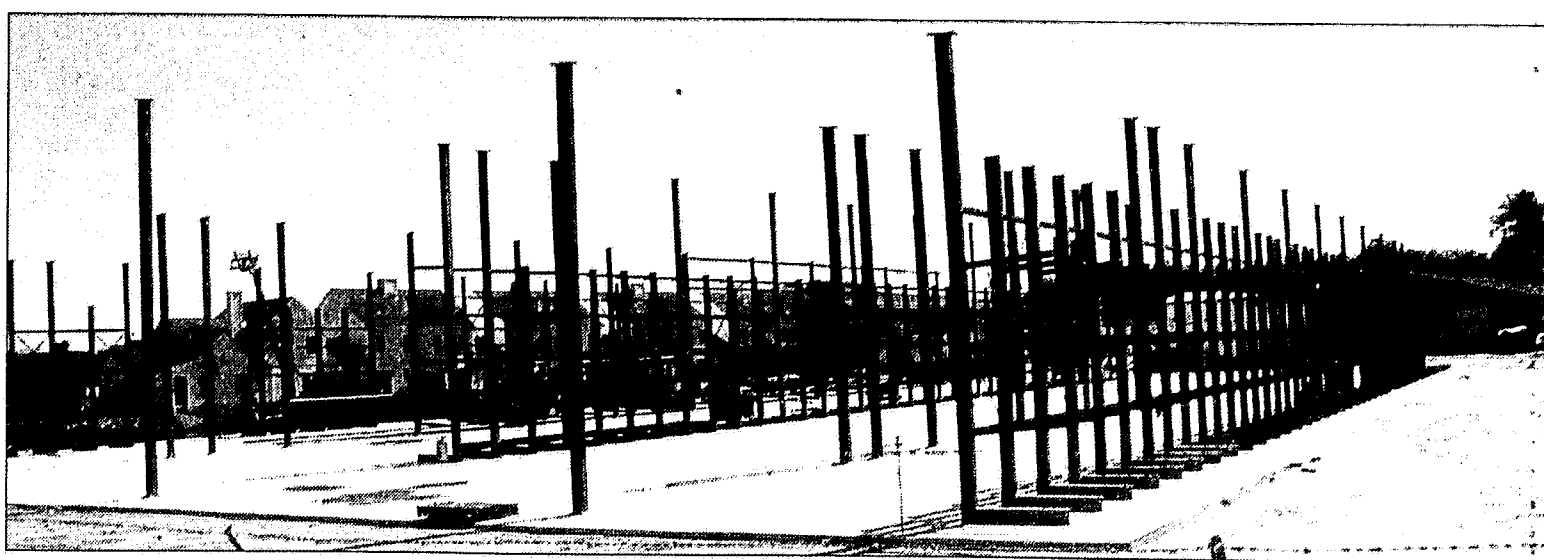
The Hamel family have completed a family project on their camp.

Fred Bilodeau's new house at Windsong Gardens is progressing and should be beautiful. All of his buildings are placed so as not to obscure the beautiful view of the mountains and Lake Umbagog.

The Bull Moose Restaurant hosted a full house Saturday night. Cathy, the chef, created some fantastic meals. The lobster stew was to die for. The warm brownie sundae is definitely not on the Atkins Diet.

Liz and Walter Stanczyk have returned from a reunion of shipmates from the USS Iwo Jima at Baton Rouge.

Sunday morning, several residents showed up on the East "B" Hill Road to view the "Mainly 'T' Tour" of antique automobiles. Richard and Nancy Fraser were instrumental in bringing them to our area.



DRIVE-THRU IN THE MAKING—A 141-by-229 drive-thru warehouse got off the ground last week at Western Maine Supply in Bethel. Groundwork has been underway for much of the summer. The all-steel building, designed and built by National Store Fixtures, is expected to be ready to use by the first of November, according to Western Maine's Bob Lowell. "Ninety-five percent of our inventory will be under cover now," he said. Customers will be able to drive a circular route through the building to pick up building supplies. (Photo: A. Aloisio)

on the tour. The participants drove down Route 26 to the "good view" of the mountains and Lake Umbagog between Pat Kenyon's and Windsong Gardens. They loved it and seemed very impressed with something we take for granted every day. Richard provided rides around town in his 1917 pristine Model "T" Ford. The crowd cheered and waved flags as the auto passed by the Angevine's home. Raspy honking of the old horns answered the cheers. The tour was sponsored by the Down East Chapter of the Model "T" Club of America. Participants in the tour were from Maine, Massachusetts, Arizona, Maryland and New Hampshire. We thank Doris Williamson Fraser for informing us that fifty "T"s were coming to Upton on their tour. The tour also included all the citizens that were making their weekly trip to the transfer station. They also received cheers and flag waving. It was definitely a "smiling event." The group spent the previous night in Sunday River attending a banquet in the Williamson Ballroom. They also toured the Bob Bahre collection of antique cars at Paris Hill.

We offer our sympathy to the family and friends of Marion York, who died recently. She was a former resident of Upton and an active Ladies Aid member. Marion was a fine nurse and a wonderful human being. She was ninety-eight when she died.

Bob Folsom attended the annual "Fly In" at Moosehead

Lake on the weekend. It was awesome.

Mike Murphy made a stop in Upton to return a woodcarving that he crafted a while back. Richard and I are the very proud owners of this lovely bird. It had been on display in Norway with other carvings done by Mike and his students. Mike showed us a carving of a female robin, which was so lifelike you expected it to fly away. Mike is a resident of Bethel who taught woodcarving at SAD44 for many years. Among his students were several people from Upton and Errol. I took the course and flunked. Mike stayed the night in Upton and enjoyed the prime rib at the Bull Moose Restaurant. The "Birds of the Week are Mike's masterpieces of his feathered friends.

Gilead

by Lin Chapman



The 2004 Gilead Bicentennial Committee met on Sept. 11 at the Town Hall. We are planning the final event of the Bicentennial year. There is going to be a potluck supper for the townspeople in mid October. More information will be revealed at a later date. We also plan on doing the Time Capsule at the supper. Committee members are working on what items to

put into the capsule. It was decided that instead of burying it, we would place it in the Town Hall or in the vault at the Municipal Building.

The question was brought up at the meeting as to where do we go from here. The committee decided that we should keep the momentum going that was created in our town with the bicentennial celebration. After we have finished with the supper in October, we plan on disbanding the 2004 Gilead Bicentennial Committee and create the Gilead Historical Society. We realize that we are a small group, but we have shown that this group can accomplish quite a lot when we set our minds to it. Besides keeping the history of Gilead alive, we hope to be able to sponsor a yearly summer event. We have a lot of planning to do, and more information will be revealed as we go along.

Those attending the meeting on Saturday were Howard and Stevie Reiche, Bill and Gale Tout, Bev Corriveau, Hugh and Lin Chapman, Alice Strait and Steve McLain. Richard and Sue Saunders were unable to attend because they were returning from Florida. According to Sue, they saw a lot of flooding from the hurricane.

While at the meeting, Bev Corriveau filled me in on an event in Portland that she went to on Wednesday with Ken Cole, Gilead's fire chief. They attended a luncheon

hosted by USDA Rural Development. The town received the grant money from them for the new fire truck. While there, Bev and Ken received a certificate that reads: "USDA Rural Development Recognizes Our Partner, Town of Gilead, for a new fire truck, investing in Maine's rural communities." Rural Development is committed to the future of rural communities. To date in fiscal year 2004, USDA Rural Development has invested over \$104 million in Rural Community Facilities, Utilities, Housing, and Businesses, creating opportunities for Rural Maine Citizens.

The Touts reported that they have been doing a lot of landscaping around their home lately. Their pond and the inhabitants are doing quite well.

Just got an e-mail from Alice and Len Strait. Their son, Chip, took some photos of Aron Rolston, the young man who cut his arm off when he was pinned by a boulder in Utah. Chip's photos are on the front page of USA Today. The interesting thing is that Aron has three arm parts and eight hand parts for different functions. Aron's book, "Between a Rock and a Hard Place," was just published and he was the subject of a TV show with Tom Brokaw this week. It is an incredible story of courage and determination.

Keep the news coming. 836-2987, e-mail chapmal@hotmail.com, or leave a note.



The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department

On Saturday I did what I said I would never do again - I had a yard sale.

A few years ago my son's family, my daughter's family and I put together our collective stuff and had a three-family yard sale in my driveway. It turned out to be a total failure. We used up an entire weekend, expended a lot of energy and got very little income in return. I think all three families made a total of about \$20.00.

It had been an exceptionally hot weekend and people were just not out and about. After two days of sweltering in the hot sun everything was picked up and put on my front porch with a promise from the kids that it would be taken care of on a cooler day, and we all agreed that we would never, ever, do that again.

What changed? For one thing, time has a way of dulling one's memory and for another thing, I still had all that stuff on my front porch.

I have gone to a lot of yard sales this summer, which is something I haven't done much in the past. I have been able to observe what others have done with how they display their goods and how they price it. I feel a little more yard sale savvy.

It seemed to me that people who had enough sawhorses and plywood or picnic tables to create selling surfaces were having a great success than those who just placed their items willy-nilly on the ground. I knew my son could come up with sawhorses and plywood.

As for the pricing structure, there isn't any. I saw one particular item at one sale with a 50 cent price tag and someone bought it. I saw the same item at another sale priced at \$2.00 and someone bought that one, too. I guess,

like beauty, value is in the eye of the beholder.

The most important thing I have observed this year is that most of the yard sales seemed to be quite successful and a lot of the buyers were there for the same reason I was; to buy stuff that they could sell at a higher price on eBay.

Most of the really good stuff went pretty early to the dealers and the eBay sellers.

There is no question that eBay is the largest yard sale in the world and anyone with a computer and Internet access can sell their stuff, or at least some of it.

So with new knowledge and a nice comfortable day forecast I talked the rest of the family into cleaning the stuff off of my porch and giving the American free enterprise system one more try. Plus, I had all kinds of stuff that I bought at other yard sales that didn't actually sell on eBay and I wanted to get rid of it.

Instead of giving up the whole weekend we decided to do a one-day event and I have to say it went pretty well. We put a lot of stuff out and a lot of people came, and at least half of them bought something.

Even my grandsons got into the spirit of the sale by setting up a table to sell fruit punch and they did quite well. I think a lot of people that stopped by felt that even if they didn't find anything that they wanted to buy they could at least drop a dime on some warm fruit punch and make some little boys quite happy.

There were of course sever-

al items that never made it into the sale because each one of us in the family would spot something the others were going to sell and claimed it for themselves. It became sort of a family recycling project and we were all surprised at some of the neat stuff each one or the other had.

But, there was plenty left for the buying public. At the beginning of the sale we all held pretty firm on our prices and would not dicker very much. The buying public always tries to dicker. It seems to me that no matter how low you price something, someone will try to talk you down. In the early going we were not easily talked down. Toward the end of the day, however, we were ready to give the stuff away just so we would not have to pack it up again.

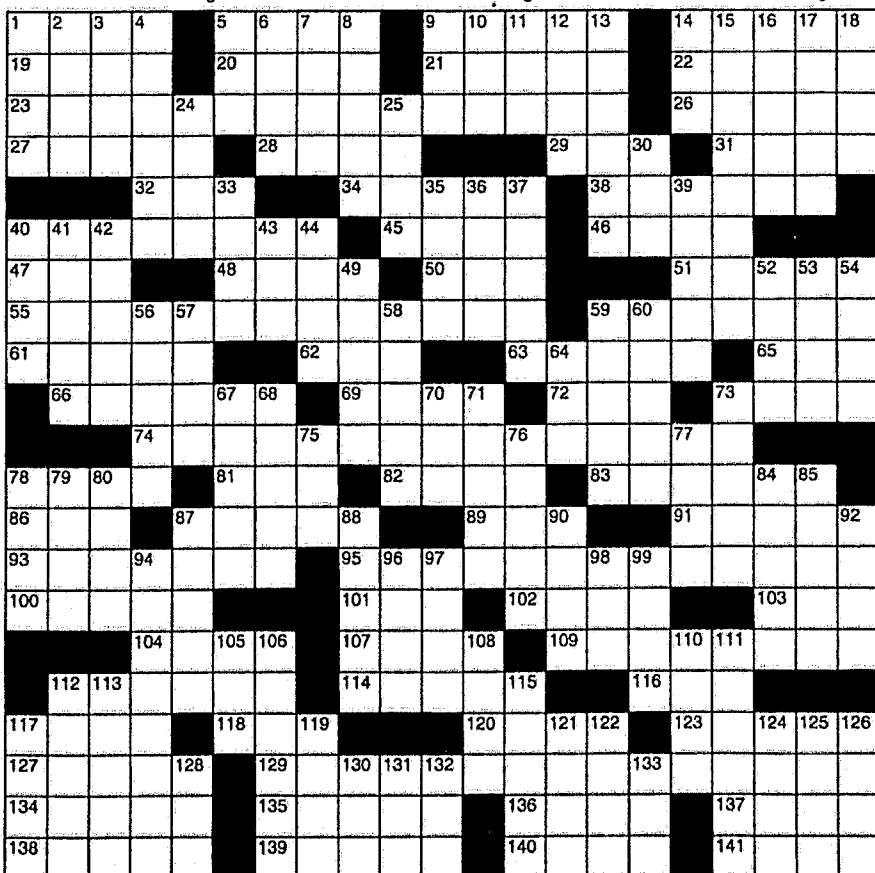
Most of the really good stuff went pretty early to the dealers and the eBay sellers. Later in the day it was the people just looking for a good bargain that came around and we were very willing to give them a great bargain by that time. Free is a pretty good bargain.

It turned out to be a really nice day and a pretty profitable one to boot. As a family we spent some real quality time right in my driveway laughing and enjoying each other's company. The little kids learned a little about sales and customer service with their fruit punch business and even they made a little bit of money. All in all, I have to say that it was well worth having the yard sale.

In fact, I think we just may plan on another yard sale at the beginning of next summer. The way I see it, I'll be able to clean my porch off once again and also get rid of all the stuff I buy that won't sell on eBay.

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| 1 Actor | 59 Joseph Conrad novel | 103 High-loney "How sweet —" | 51 Bit part in "Cleopatra?" | 49 High-toned guy? | 96 Figure of interest? |
| 5 Amonasro's daughter | 61 Sleep slope tool | 107 React to an allergen | 6 Singer Fox | 52 Sophoclean tragedy | 97 Move like molasses |
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| 19 Sore | 65 "Sister" (93 film) | 114 Operetta composer | 10 Past | 57 Colorful fish | 105 Mischief-maker |
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| 31 Manumit | 83 Rang | 135 Chilling | 24 Dole (out) | 71 Raptor | 120 "65 hit" feature |
| 32 Ike's | 86 Castilian cry | 136 Tombstone | 25 Sae — | 72 Chou — | 121 Obsolete title |
| 34 Norm de crime? | 87 Address | 137 Harvest | 62 Across | 73 In good shape | 122 Lot size |
| 38 More delicate | 89 Item in a lock | 138 Earthquake | 30 Ram's remark | 76 Civil Rights org. | 124 Carry out orders |
| 40 "Rawhide" and "Gunsmoke" | 91 Exodus figure | 139 Patriot Silas | 33 "Carmine" Burana composer | 77 Israeli airline | 125 Circus sound |
| 45 — Flynn Boyle | 93 Stevie Wonder song | 140 Tare's relative | 35 Shake-spearan villain | 79 Hodgespodge | 126 Water-proofing material |
| 46 Hoffmann creation | 95 Hal Foster | 141 Rochester's missile | 36 Schipa solo | 80 Lima's land | 128 Shrug part |
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Bryant Pond



by Alice Hoyt
Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., choir practice at 5:15 p.m. and evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 p.m. is prayer meeting. Thursday morning at 9 a.m. is Ladies Bible time.

At the Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens September meeting it was voted that the Oct. 7 meeting would be an "Eat Out" at the Chickadee in Turner. Since the meeting the president announced that each member be given \$5 and the cost of a meal over that being paid by the person. This will also be the fall foliage trip.

Sept. 20 is Crafters Night at Franklin Grange 124. The meeting starts at 7 p.m.

The Historical Society was hard pressed to keep the museum open every Saturday afternoon this past summer for lack of people willing to watch it. We must fulfill the primary mission, which is to serve the public by offering it a glimpse of the past.

Why don't you join and help out in this regard? It is quite pleasant talking with interested visitors. Thanks go to Mary and Larry Billings for watching regularly so there could be two people each week. Only one other member signed up each week. So they took up the slack.

North Newry



by Gil Seeley
Thought for the week: "Joy, temperance and repose — slam the door on the doctor's nose."

Call to worship was held Sunday morning, Sept. 5, at 9 a.m., at the Newry Community Church with Pastor Rodney Hanscom at the pulpit and daughter Nancy at the organ. Thought for the day by Sue Wight, "When Jesus said; whoever he meant you and me." Scripture readings by the faithfuls. The message of the day was, "Rights and Choices" from Psalms 139:23. "Search me, O God, and know my heart; try me, and know my thoughts." A prayer followed, hymn sing, benediction, postlude, amen.

Happy birthday to Bea Lowell on the 17th and to Sue Bowie on the 18th. Wishing you all kinds of wonderful things for the future.

Greenwood City



by Rena Curtis
Here we are well into September. Fall is already on us and winter not far away.

Nancy Hutton of Portland visited Ann Holt over the weekend.

Sunday, Faye and Leonas Holt made a nice dinner for them and David Holt of Nor-

way joined them, which is nice. Ann took Brad's truck and went four wheeling. They went up on Patch Mountain and also over on the ice caves road. They had a good time.

Marie Curtis took her mother (Iva Bragg of Summer) back to the hospital in Portland on Thursday. Don't know how long she will have to be there. Saturday, my son, Albert Curtis Sr., and I went grocery shopping and stopped at a lawn sale on the way. There sure was a lot of them going on, but we didn't stop at them all.

Don't seem to hear much about the bears being around now.

They had a large gathering at my son Walter Curtis' camp over the weekend at Kingsbury and several went. I usually do, but I didn't this time. Looks like we are going to get some rain.

Quote for the week: "Hard work is the yeast that raises the dough."

That's it for this week. Have a safe and happy week.

East Bethel



by Nancy Mercer
Pat Kimball has lost a gray and white cat that answers to the name Kitty. He is wearing a pink collar and has been missing since about Sept. 4. Let her know if you have seen this fellow.

Heather Zimmerman has started college at UNH in Durham, N.H. They have a good

ski program, which she likes. Lacey Hebert is now engaged to be married. The wedding will be next year at about this time.

Tanya Hebert is playing field hockey at Telstar Regional High School, and they are doing very well.

Roger and Louise Twitchell attended the Bethel Senior Citizens Club luncheon and meeting at North Waterford on Sept. 8.

Henry and Doris Hertell of South Paris entertained the Hertell family with a barbecue on Sept. 11.

Mike and Nancy Antonelli of Texas visited Andre and Flossie Bernier, arriving on Aug. 31 and leaving Sept. 8.

Nancy Kimball has been at Ledgeview Nursing home after having a mini stroke recently. It is hoped that she will be home the end of this week.

Alder River Grange will have installation of officers on Sept. 22 with Pleasant Valley Grange in West Bethel. There will be a 6:30 p.m. supper and the meeting at 7:30 p.m. Please bring a salad or dessert for the supper.

On Sept. 21, all members who wish to help set up the Fryeburg Fair Exhibit will meet at Lynn-Mason-Courtney's home at 7 p.m. to discuss a theme and what we have to put into the exhibit.

The Savages have put in a nice little mosquito breeding pond for next summer, I see. I know this should be a fire pond, but without a way to kill mosquito larvae, there will be billions of the little devils next summer.

Have a nice week. God Bless the Troops.

West Paris



by Joyce Lamb
Sunshine and warmer days are so welcome after a damp, rainy summer.

The fall asters and golden glow are blooming. My plant between the garage doors growing out of the hot top is



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still beautiful with about 60 blossoms. I call it a black-eyed susan but know it has a special name. There should be an abundance of seeds in a month or two. Two years ago I gave away a lot of seeds, and Peg Perham is the only one to produce a plant with large blossoms.

At the West Paris Universalist Church on Sept. 19, the Rev. Joy Gasta will speak on "Welcoming Autumn — Difficult or easy for you?" Bring your favorite reading. Jim Burke is organist. A coffee hour follows the a.m. service.

Sunday afternoon, Sept. 19, memorial derby races will be held at the Arthur Dean memorial derby hill track near the town office. Fried dough will be sold by the Universalist Church.

Sayward and Cynthia Lamb, Hayward and Mary Lamb, their daughter Nancy Lamb from Charleston, S.C., and I were in Berlin, N.H., for lunch at Northlands Restaurant on Thursday for seafood. Nancy returned home by plane on Friday.

Kenneth Charles Lamb, son of Kenneth Lamb, left for Georgia for training in the National Guard. He graduated from Oxford Hills High School in June.

Dede Chase is doing well after her cat injury. The stitches were removed and she no longer needs the splint on her left hand. She says it is good to be able to use both hands again.

I accompanied Beryl Bonney to her camp at South Pond on Saturday. Such a beautiful and warm day. We enjoyed sitting on the porch overlooking the water. No ducks or geese came to entertain us. Some have probably started south already.

All of the Florida people's winter homes came through the hurricanes well. Hopefully, Ivan will pass them by, too.

Buffy is still enjoying the nice fall days.

Locke Mills



by Lorraine Larson
My computer monitor fizzled and died on me this week so I am trying to get used to this substitute one,

and I cannot say I am very enthused with it so far; but, beggars cannot be choosers, as my dear old Granny used to say, so I am doing my best. It is better than nothing. Ralph said when he put it in that the screen was darker and could not be made to fill out completely. The darker does not bother me but the shrinkage does, as it makes everything smaller and a little out of sync. I am glad that the other one did not blow up, as it certainly sounded as if it were going to. I did not worry about the message that the computer should not be shut down improperly and pulled the plug. Ralph said the high voltage supply went. I could believe it.

Today we are certainly enjoying a little rain for a change. At least we are not facing what the Floridians are so I shouldn't complain, and I am not really. A little rain is rather soothing sometimes. I even bought a CD once that contained a rainstorm that was supposed to make one feel relaxed. I got so annoyed with the music that nearly drowned out the sound of the rain I stopped playing it. It was putting my blood pressure up.

Ada Cummings is home from the hospital and even attended a gospel concert at the church called the "Last Generation." It was a husband and wife team who were very good. They sang a lot of the old, favorite hymns and then amused us with a couple of songs such as "The Johnson Family Pew" and "Ditzzy, Grumpy Attitudes" or some such thing. Anyhow they both sort of poked fun at some of the behaviors Christians seem to fall into if they are not careful, such as figuring the pew we have always sat in belongs to us and nobody else had better sit in it. We don't have pews and I think I am probably the only one who sits in the same place each time, but I sort of have to since I do the overheads and the projector seems to always be in the same place. But the song was cute and reminded me of many years back when people did actually do that. Maybe in some places they still do.

I seem to have lost the office assistant with this monitor, although I don't know why. I supposed the programs were in the computer itself and didn't have much to do with the monitor. I get a big kick

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9am-3pm **21st Annual Blue Mountain Arts and Crafts Festival**
9am-5pm **Crisports Tent Sale in the Discovery Center**
9am-3pm **Scenic Chairlift Ride on Lift 6**
10am-4pm **Horse Drawn Wagon Rides & Kids Games & Activities**
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out of him myself although some people don't like him and hide him. The problem is I can't even find a place that evens mentions him, and when I ask the computer to find him it acts as if I am completely balmy. "Does not compute" seems to be its answer, although it doesn't actually say that.

I have been sort of watching the Colts-Patriots game and what I did see had some really great plays. Looks as if both teams are going to have good seasons if they keep up this level of play. I am always glad when the football season comes as I really like football better than baseball. My favorite sport is golf and I wish golf had been available to the ordinary person when I was young. Now the schools even offer it to small children in some places. I guess the only sport I am not really interested in is tennis and I don't know why.

I am getting this extremely warm breeze coming in my window. It feels as if the furnace came on. I suppose it is because of the tropical moisture we've been having. I am very glad I do not live in the tropics.

Ann Fitzmorris took Lorene and I out to eat at the Cinnamon Stick one evening this past week. We enjoyed ourselves and the meal very much. On Wednesday Ann and I went to Norway to do the monthly shopping. It is a tiring but fun time.

Hanover



by Clem Worcester

The Hanover area community was saddened to learn of the passing of Herb Kirtledge on Monday, Sept. 6, at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris. Herb, who was 84, and his wife Ruth lived on Brown Road for many years and they have been friends to all.

Joan Tucker has returned home following doctor visits in Portland after falling.

Tara Leigh Carroll and Kevin Howe were married on Sept. 4. They are both residents of Bellmore, N.Y. The Rev. Glendon Gammon of Peru performed the service. Mr. and Mrs. Howe have been staying at Rocky Retreat at Howard Pond.

Hanover will soon have its own Internet Web site. The project is a coordinated effort spearheaded by Deputy Clerk Kelly Crockett with the assistance of Jonathon Ross of Rumford. When it is up and running we will let you know where to find it. Hanover currently shares the River Valley

Chamber of Commerce Web site.

Jere and Judith Goretzke from Lancaster, Pa., have been vacationing at their cottage on Morgan Heights.

Any Hanover resident who wishes to register to vote before the Nov. 2 Presidential Election may do so at the Hanover Town Office during regular office hours.

Andover



by Joan Stinson-Carney
Word has been received by Addie Feener that her son-

in-law, Lawrence LeBlanc of Hollister, Fla., died of a massive heart attack. He was the husband of Katy Feener, who graduated from Andover High School in 1967. He was formerly from Rumford.

Addie Feener fell at her home last week and broke her left wrist.

Robert B. Swain and Richard Sullivan left Sept. 6 for San Diego, Calif., to attend Swain's 13th Troop Carrier Squadron reunion. They returned on Sept. 12.

Ellis River Riders had a successful B/Beef Supper on Sept. 4.

Eda Perkins is a patient at Ledgeview Nursing Home, West Paris, following a fall on Aug. 5 when she broke both wrists. She would love cards.

The school secretary, Patty Brown, has an enrollment of 51 through grades 5 at the elementary school.

The East Andover Community Club held their banquet in South Paris on Sept. 13, celebrating 66 years. Violet Swain is the only charter member.

Waterford



by Rockie Graham
It's beginning to feel a lot like fall.

Frosts are predicted and the mornings and evenings are cool and crisp. We covered the tomatoes and peppers and even the cukes. It is not really early for frost around here; I remember some in August. Still, the changing of the season is something to mark. I am just glad we don't have those bad hurricanes up here. I do not think I'd like living in Florida and having to worry each year about that terrible destruction. Many like it in the winter; I guess we all have our trade-offs.

This weekend, 17-19, is the Bethel Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cook Off, with tours on Friday and Arts/Crafts

and the Chowder Cook-off and Apple Pie Contest on Saturday. There'll be music at the gazebo starting at 11 a.m. Sunday will bring bicycle tours. Sounds like fun. FMI: call Bethel Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282.

I missed the race this past weekend. I don't have any results but it sounded like fun. We had fewer people at the transfer station, but we did have the usual last-minute people. I've learned that it doesn't matter what time we close, there are those who come at 5 of and have 15 minutes worth of trash and recyclables. There are those who arrive after the gates closed and just want to dump their trash. The hours are: Tuesday and Thursday, 12 to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and Sunday, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Attendees are there the whole time and would appreciate people arriving on time. We are expecting the metal people back on Thursday, so be careful of the trucks. They are expected to empty the whole pile. That means the town will earn some money to offset the costs of running the transfer station.

Dave and I are off to trainings and to do some networking with other attendants. I hope to find new places and new ways to sell and dispose of trash and recyclables. We are hoping to chip our brush and sell the chips, and to find someone to take tires and LP containers for less money.

That is all for this week. Have a great week and enjoy the beautiful weather while it lasts.

Albany



by Dana & Sheila Dyke

Hello and greetings from Albany Township. What lovely weather we've been having. A bit cooler than we've been used to, but, the sunshine certainly is nice.

There will be a benefit supper held on behalf of Franklin Barton at the Albany Congregational Church on Hunt's Corner Road Thursday, Sept. 16 (tonight) starting at 5:30 p.m. Adults are \$6, children \$3.

Franklin had been seriously ill this past summer and had to have a tumor removed. This is a very giving, caring family, now in need of a bit of help themselves. The food that

will be served at the supper will, as always, be wonderful home-cooked fare. If you can't get in during the 5:30 seating, we're sure that you will not be turned away for the second seating, which normally is at around 6 p.m. If you cannot attend the support, but wish to make a donation to the family, you can contact Jackie Gammon, Pastor Ed Gammon's wife. We hope to see you there.

Best wishes for a happy and safe week. God Bless and Keep.

Mason



by Richard Grover

My daughter, Anita, and her husband, Dan, moved from west Texas to southern Missouri early last month, where Dan, a forester with the national park service, will be managing several "National Scenic Rivers" and the Pea Ridge Battlefield National Monument. At least that's my understanding of what he is doing. Both Dan and Anita are outdoors people and love to hike. Last week, as I was talking to Anita via phone, she said they had been hiking a few times and found their clothing covered by deer ticks. She says they are persistent cusses and even survive going through the wash cycle in the clothes washer. Some of them even survive the "normal cycle" of the dryer; at least, the "hot cycle" seems to kill them all.

Anita says the ticks are easily brushed off, as long as you get to them before they become attached, which apparently takes several hours. They have decided they probably will not do much overnight hiking or camping until after the ticks go into hibernation, or whatever they do in cold weather. I don't blame them for that. Apparently, the deer ticks are really thick around there, at least this year. Yuck!

At the West Bethel Union Church last Sunday, I talked with Alfred Lovejoy, who recently moved back to West Bethel after living for years in Michigan. Alfred grew up in Mason and even lived in the old house on my property, a house that I tore down due to its dilapidated state. I am looking forward to talking to Alfred and Brother Rupert about the "old days in Mason" soon. Hopefully, there will be

additional stories as a result. Mona's granddaughter Monica, her husband Matt and son Boston, moved into their new home on our "street" while we were traveling this summer. It's kind of fun having them only a few hundred yards down the hill, where we can visit back and forth. I'm trying to break them of the habit of jumping into their car every time they come up here. Feet were made for walking, and before cars, too. Actually, I think we're beginning to convert them to pedestrians already.

East Stoneham



by Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers. Have you ever hunted for something and not been able to find it? I expect you have. Anyway, that is what I have been doing this afternoon. It is frustrating. Yesterday in Wal-Mart I was hunting for the frozen fruit and going around and around the aisle where it should be and I heard someone say, "Did you find it, Eleanor?" I turned around just as someone else said "no" at the same time I said "no." It seems that two Eleansors were hunting for something in the same aisle. We laughed and I did find it on the bottom shelf of the freezer compartment. It usually was on the top shelf. So much for that.

I was busy yesterday, as I went to Norway to do errands and then went in and visited Wilma Taylor at the Norway Rehab and Living Center, also Al Yemma. They both were in good spirits. They both say it is a good place and the people working there are real nice to them. Then, later, I went over to the Market Square Nursing Home and visited Loretta Andrews a few minutes where she has been the last few weeks. She was having a lot of tests done. I hope you all will get better soon.

Mertice Barker is still in the Bridgton Healthcare Center and is gaining each day. I hope you continue to gain and will

soon be home, Tice.

The planning board met on Wednesday night to discuss several permits and other business matters.

We did get the rain here that was predicted. I'm glad we got the yard sale stuff under cover before it came. I plan to have more stuff out next weekend. Maybe I'll call it a shed sale instead of yard sale. That way I won't have to lug it all back out. Husband says it has to go. We did fairly good last Sunday and Monday.

Saturday, I canned tomatoes. We do like my home-canned tomatoes. We got them up at Coopers. We also got some apples there. It was a different brand than what we usually get and they are real good and make good applesauce.

Albert says the crew is getting the winter sand out. The trucks are hauling it by the house. I guess we know what's coming, don't we?

Missy and Scott Allen are the proud parents of a new baby girl, born Aug. 30 at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. She joins Brooke, who is two years old. Grandparents are Vickie and Steven Pike and Linda and Neal Allen. All are doing fine.

South Woodstock



by Andrea Wing

Several people on Curtis Hill Road are sporting new cars.

Ron Frazer's mother-in-law is now living with their family here on the hill.

It's been a busy week. Richard and I both had several doctors' appointments.

My cat, Suzi, is growing like a weed. She's the busiest cat I ever saw but so much fun usually. My older cat, Daisy, runs for a room with a door to be shut behind her when she sees Suzi coming to get her.

We recently received our tax estimate and house value for the year. Homes sure have gone up in value in the last few years.

Today is a real nasty day. We're getting the remainder

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of Hurricane Frances. It's not much compared to Florida and the rest of the southern states.

Kudos to Lindsay Bean who showed steers in 4-H adult class and won a trophy for best steers in the 1400-1900 weight class. She is the daughter of Tina Hall and granddaughter of Cathy Thurlow of South Woodstock. Her grandfather, Leslie Thurlow, is real proud of her, also.

Sympathy goes out to the family and friends of Alfred Allen, who died this past week.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that if you really want to have the last word in an argument, all you have to say is 'I guess you're right.'"

West Paris



by Bertha DeHaas
Happy September. The trees are putting on their fall splendor on

hill and vale, squash are ripening on the vine, Oxford County Fair is just around the corner, and we are serenaded each night by the cricket chorus. Methinks autumn is practically on the doorstep. We are indeed fortunate to be in the northeastern hemisphere rather than the southern part of our continent, especially during the hurricane season. Several of my friends have winter homes in Florida and so far have been pretty lucky hurricane wise.

Thursday evening at West Paris Grange several certificates for longevity of Grange membership were given out.

O'Neil Mills received his 50-year certificate, Barbara Dalgaard received her 60 year certificate, Earl Andrews received his 65-year certificate and Elizabeth "Betty" Bragg received her 75-year certificate. Congratulations fellow Grangers. That is truly a wonderful record. Thank you all for all your years of service to the Grange.

On Friday night, several of us attended Oxford Grange in Welchville for past master's night and a country and western program put on by Ruby Meisner, master of Oxford Grange. This was preceded by a western-style supper. It was delicious. During the meeting the offices were filled by masters and past masters from Oxford and Androscoggin County Granges. Ruby had a most informative quiz about the Old West followed by good and old western songs, readings and a skit whereby over-seer James Lowe was decked out in western attire by State Deputy Yvonne Johnson. He looked like a real cowboy when he was all decked out, complete to chaps.

On Tuesday, the West Paris Senior Citizens met at the West Paris home of Elsie Haynes for a truly scrumptious luncheon followed by a short business meeting and program. Fred Breame gave a poem, "The Word," which he had written. It was very good. Our next meeting will be Oct. 5 with a trip to the White Mountains and luncheon at the Balsams.

The West Paris Senior Citizens will have a table at the West Paris Grange Fall Fair on Saturday, Oct. 23, at the Grange Hall, 4 Church Street, West Paris. The fair will be

from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. If you have items to donate to the senior citizens table, please call Pat at 674-3241 or Bertha at 674-3046. There will be chowder, sandwiches and pie on sale at noontime for luncheon. Come out and join us for a day of enjoyment and maybe even Christmas shopping, as there will be all kinds of craft items for sale.

The West Paris Cheer, Dance, Twirl, and Tumble Association is announcing signups for fall baton twirling. Twirlers will be entered in the Chamber of Commerce Christmas Parade, and Karen's Winter Recital. Spring events TBA. Baton twirling is a great way to enjoy physical activity, learn self-discipline, as well as teaching great hand, eye coordination. Boys, girls, men and women, ages 2 and up are all welcome, no experience necessary. Beginner and experienced Tiny Tot, Junior, and Adult Classes will be held Friday or Saturday afternoons in the West Paris Agnes Gray Gym. Registration will be held Friday, Sept. 24, at the Agnes Gray School Gym from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m. or you can register by phone at 674-3670. Classes begin the first week of October and end in April. Come learn to twirl and have fun with our teams. Twirlers are responsible for their own batons, uniforms, and monthly dues. Anyone interested in joining the new West Paris Cheer Dance Twirl and Tumble Association please call 674-3670. Meetings will be held in West Paris.

As days get shorter and it becomes darker earlier, keep your eyes open for children out running and playing in the roads. They don't always think before darting out into

the road, so we have to think and react for them.

From the

SWOAM

Managing woodland for wildlife will be the focus of a Sept. 18 meeting sponsored by the western Maine chapter of the Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine.

Rob Bryan of Maine Audubon and SWOAM forester Paul Miller will lead the woods tour two miles north of the covered bridge on the Sunday River Road.

The Saturday morning session begins with coffee and doughnuts at 8:30 a.m. and continues to approximately noon.

"Many woodland owners would like to know more about managing their land for wildlife," Miller said. "No matter what we do out there we affect vegetation, change habitat and therefore increase or decrease our lands suitability for some species of wildlife."

Bryan has put together ideas and facts that can help integrate timber and wildlife management objectives. Those attending the session are advised to bring their pencils. For a small charge, a 90-page Forest Species book will be available.

For more information, contact Miller at (866) 845-3047 or paul@swoam.com. All SWOAM meetings are open to the public.

From the

Bethel Outing Club

There's been a lot of excitement in the Babcock/Walker household this summer about adventure racing. And now it's time for a kids' adventure race. It will be geared for kids in grades K-6, but anyone is welcome to join in. The younger grades may need some parental support. And at least one parent is the entry fee for the race. The kids will be in teams of two or more; they can decide on teams themselves



GRANGE RECOGNITION—Several members of West Paris Grange \$298 were recently presented with membership certificates. Shown are, front: Betty Bragg (75 years); Barbara Dalgaard (60 years). Back: Master Earl Andrews (65 years); O'Neil Mills (50 years). (Photo: B. DeHaas)

beforehand, or be matched up on race day.

The race will be held on the Outward Bound property. Each team will have a map with checkpoints to find. Travel will be on foot and on bicycle. There may also be "skills" to perform along the way. Climbing may be one of them.

Racers will need bikes and helmets, a sense of adventure, and a backpack or backpack for a water bottle and snack would be good.

If parents can bring a bike and helmet as well (mountain bike), they may be useful in getting to checkpoints. And if anyone has "family" two-way radios, please bring them.

We will start sometime in the morning on Sunday, Sept. 19 (specific time TBD). Before the race itself there will be some clinics, map reading, bike skill, etc.

Everyone should bring a "lunch" for the post-race celebration and probably some snacks as well.

If racers could sign up ahead of time, it will enable us to be better organized and prepared.

To sign up, or if you have any

questions, please call Nancy at 824-2115.

From the

West Paris Troopettes

Support our Troops Bingo will benefit the six West Paris servicemen in Iraq. Bingo will be held at the West Paris Town Office on Sunday, Sept. 19 at 1 p.m.

Twelve cards will cost \$10. There will be 16 regular games with four specials at \$1 per card. Bring a friend and enjoy great prizes, a 50/50, and purchase raffle tickets for an Oct. 17 drawing.

Raffle items will include a filled Longaberger basket, \$50 gravel products, \$50 Perham's Maine Mineral gift certificate, 1/2 cord of firewood, a latch hook rug, and a crocheted afghan.

A packing meeting of morale boosters for the troops took place Wednesday, Sept. 15, at the West Paris town office at 6 p.m. Call 674-2114 to donate or for more information.

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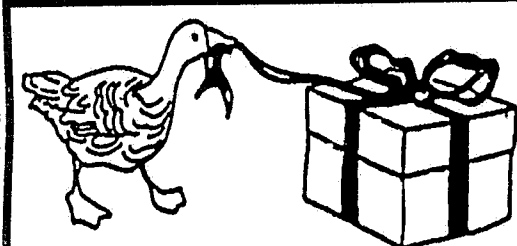


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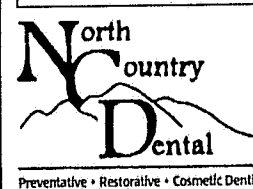
PUBLIC NOTICE OF INTENT TO FILE

Please take notice that Hancock Lumber Company, Inc., 639 Walkers Mill Road, Bethel, Maine 04217, 207-824-2800 intends to file an Air Emission License application with the Maine Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) pursuant to the provisions of 38 MRSA, Section 590 on September 17, 2004. The application is for renewal of existing emissions license for a wood burning boiler and an oil burning boiler at their Bethel Facility. According to Department regulations, interested parties must be publicly notified, written comments invited, and if justified, an opportunity for public hearing given. A request for a public hearing or for the Board of Environmental Protection to assume jurisdiction must be received by the Department in writing, no later than 20 days after the application is accepted by the Department as complete for processing. The application and supporting documentation will be available for review at the Bureau of Air Quality (BAQ) DEP offices in Augusta, (207) 287-2437, during normal working hours. A copy of the application and supporting documentation will also be available at the municipal office in Bethel, Maine. Written public comments may be sent to Lynn Ross at the Bureau of Air Quality, State House Station #17, Augusta, Maine 04333.

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From the

Oxford County Republicans

There was a large gathering in Rumford last Saturday for the Cameron for Senate Pig Roast. Approximately 120 people attended this event located on South Rumford Road. The dinner raised campaign money for Rob Cameron, who is seeking the Maine Senate seat in District 14. Fair weather and a delicious spread of salads, casseroles, roast pork, turkey, and desserts all contributed to a good time by all who attended. A moment of silence was held for victims and families of the 9/11 catastrophe. Rob Cameron talked briefly about his campaign, and thanked his family and supporters for their help.

Oxford County Republican candidates also in attendance were Sawin Millett, House District 95; Randy Hotham, House District 93; Paula Smith, House District 92; Arlan Jodrey, House District 91; Tom Windsor, Register of Probate; and Dave Duguay, County Commissioner.

The Oxford County Republicans were out in great numbers for the Buckfield Labor Day Celebration on Monday Sept. 6. Senate Candidate Rob Cameron had a large float decorated with American flags and lawn signs. Diane and Brian Mitchell were on the float passing out candy and pencils to the crowd. Bruce Hanley candidate for District 94, which includes Buckfield, Hartford and Sumner, also had a large float with his name on it.

Other Republican candidates participating in the day's events were Rep. Joan Bryant-Deschenes and County Commissioner candidate Dave Duguay.

On the grounds, former state Sen. Norm Ferguson was manning the Republican booth complete with banners, balloons, buttons and other handout material.

At the Oxford County Republican Committee meeting, held at the Congregational Church

(Green Church) in Mexico on Sept. 14, County Commissioner Steve Merrill and Duguay were the featured speakers. Volunteers are still needed for the booth at Fryeburg Fair, Oct. 3 thru 10. Anyone willing to help is asked to call Becky Kendall (824-3196).

Volunteers are always needed at the county headquarters at 333 Main Street, Norway. Call co-coordinator Erlon Jones (739-2350) or e-mail: oxfrep@megalink.net. for information and to offer help.

From the

Western Mountains Senior College

With the beginning of our fall classes comes the reminder that it is time for our annual meeting.

All members, and the public, are welcomed to the meeting, which will be held Oct. 20, in the lower level of the West Parish Congregational Church at 3:30 p.m. The business agenda will be a review of our 2003-2004 year and nomination of new board members. Following this short meeting, a member of the Bethel Area Retirement Committee will show us a presentation and will talk about their current status. Refreshments will be served.

Please consider becoming a volunteer. Board meetings take about 90 minutes a month during the school year and, with numbers enough, the jobs are divided so no one is overwhelmed. Teaching a class, on a topic of interest to you, is another way to volunteer. Show your interest during the annual meeting, or call one of the current board members. Get involved with the Senior College movement.

An evening of "Korean Culture and History" will be offered at ChoSun Restaurant on Oct. 5. This is a special Tuesday night buffet for Senior College members and their guests. Pak Lane will speak about her native country and its food. The buffet will

consist of appetizers, salads and entrees, both Asian and American, ending with green tea and ginger ice cream. We will start at 5:30 p.m. with a cash bar. The cost of the buffet is \$20 per person. A deposit of \$10 will reserve your spot. Call Telstar Adult Ed. for reservations (824-2780).

From the

Western Maine Art Group

Have you heard of "First Friday?" Each month, art lovers gather in Norway on Main Street to look at the art and enjoy the festive atmosphere of opening receptions. Sept. 3 was a fun evening, as over 100 people gathered at the Matolcsy Art Center to meet Gil Whitman, Duncan Slade, and 14 other artists, then meandered over to the Commons Gallery at Fare Share to see the Lori Christmastree one-woman show. What fun. What diversity. And, if you couldn't make it "First Night," both shows are still up. The Matolcsy Art Center is open Thursday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Sundays noon to 4 p.m.

Now that it's fall, don't forget the workshop with Michael Desplaines on Saturday, Sept. 18, 10 a.m. to noon. You'll have a wonderful morning with Michael, of McLaughlin Gardens fame, as you learn flower arranging, and best of all, you'll leave with a gorgeous bouquet. The fee is \$35, and you can register by calling the Matolcsy Art Center at 743-5411 or Pat Chandler at 743-8033.

Oct. 1 is the next "First Night," and the Western Maine Art Group will be featuring its General Membership Show at the Matolcsy Art Center. See seasoned artists as well as emerging artists. Join us from 6 to 8 p.m. to meet the artists and to sample wine, cheese, and other delectables. And don't forget to visit the Commons Gallery at Fare Share, to enjoy their reception, which runs from 7 to 9 p.m.

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BETHEL RESIDENT'S FLORIDA HOME DAMAGED—The Florida winter home of Leland (Mike) Brown of Bethel was among many damaged in last week's Hurricane Frances. Winds up to 105 mph battered the home in Tavares, located in central Florida. The region had earlier been hit by Hurricane Charley. The roof was damaged and part of an adjacent carport was ripped off. Brown, who has owned the home for four years, is arranging for repairs from his home in Bethel. He plans to return to Florida in mid-October. A third hurricane, Ivan, was projected to miss the Florida peninsula this week.

a.m. to 7 p.m., is the McLaughlin Gardens day trip to one of the largest museums on the East Coast, the Peabody Essex Museum. This museum has incredible artwork, an amazing Asian art collection featuring the Yin Ho Tang house, a new wing designed by Moshe Safdie, and includes historic buildings, too. You will enjoy lunch at the museum and tour historic Salem as well. The cost is \$135 for a day guaranteed to charge your batteries with enough visual images to last a whole, snowy, Maine winter.

But, of course, we wouldn't leave winter with nothing to do, so you can look forward to

an opportunity for a workshop in January with fiber artist Richard Lee. If you missed our Fiber Show in June, and don't know of Richard's work, then take a trip to the Farnsworth Art Museum to check out their fall exhibition of contemporary fiber to see Richard Lee's handmade books and sculptural pieces. Then, sign up for Richard's paper-making workshop at the Matolcsy Art Center. Richard will demonstrate techniques for preparing plant fibers, making simple sheets, embedding found objects, creating lace, and adding color. Participants will learn to make the papers using basic equipment found in their own

kitchens. Richard has been a member of the Maine Arts Commission's Touring Artists Program, through which he did several workshops and residencies; and, in recent months, Richard has led workshops with adults in his Brunswick studio, with art teachers at the University of Maine at Presque Isle, with students at Vinalhaven, Gould Academy, Cape Elizabeth, and with highschoolers in Cuba.

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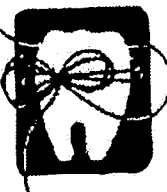
The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Upton, Maine is accepting bids for the purchase of the municipality's interest in one tax-acquired property. The bids must be in writing and in a sealed envelope marked "Tax Sale Bid" on the outside. The Upton Board of Selectmen must receive all bids no later than 9am on October 2, 2004. Late bids will not be opened or considered. Each bid must also include the bidder's name, mailing address and phone number and must be accompanied by a deposit in the form of a certified check or money order, in an amount equal to or greater than 10% of the bid price of the parcel. Deposits will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders. Any bid that does not contain the proper deposit will be rejected. Bids will be opened, reviewed and awarded by the selectmen at the town office on October 2, 2004 at 10am. The Board of Selectmen reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The successful bidder shall have 30 days from the date of the bid acceptance in which to complete the purchase. The property will be conveyed by a quitclaim deed without covenants. In the event that a successful bidder fails, for any reason, to complete the purchase in the time stated, the bid acceptance is void and the bidder's deposit shall be forfeited to the Town. The Board of Selectmen may thereafter negotiate a sale of the property with any or all unsuccessful bidders. The property for sale is described on the Town Tax Maps as: Map 2, Lot 83. The tax maps and other public information concerning this property may be reviewed at the Town Office during its normal business hours which are 8:30am-10am on Tuesdays and Fridays, or call 207-533-2285.

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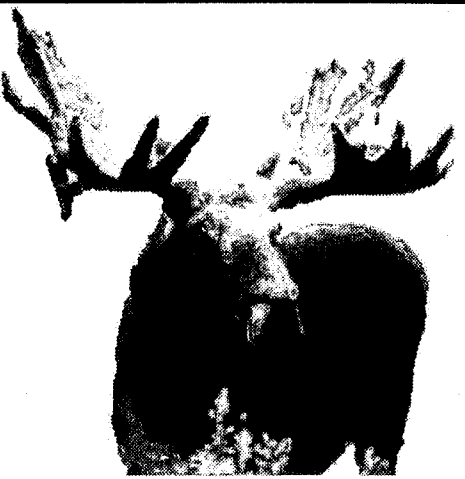
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Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

All are welcomed to attend the September Business After Hours, scheduled for Thursday, Sept. 23, at the Perennial Inn, which is a beautiful facility on the Jed Martin Road in Rumford Point. Owners Darlene and Jordan Ginsburg have a great party planned.

The 7th annual Bethel Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cook-off is quickly approaching. It is our hope that all the events scheduled from Friday to Sunday will go off without a hitch and that they will be well attended.

Many thanks to our sponsors, Oxford Networks, U.S. Foodservice, Hancock Lumber and C. B. Kenworth. Twelve area restaurants are scheduled to be showcasing their favorite chowdahs: Liams, Good Food Store, Sudbury Inn, Cinnamon Stick Cafe, ChoSun, Birchies Grill, Bethel Inn and Country Club, S.S. Milton, Sunday River Brewing Co., Rebel Family Restaurant, Bethel's Best, and Phoenix House and Well. This is a very popular event, so make sure to be there early. Serving begins at noon. There will be up to six Telstar High School students at the event helping to serve the chowdah, thanks to the support of Telstar faculty member Lisa Pivin.

Many thanks to our judges: Alexandra Adler, Ken Poulin and Rick Hafner. Please see the Harvest Fest special ad in this week's paper for a full schedule.

We have several new members to welcome:

Highland Mortgage, Emma Bodwell, owner. Their main office is in Naples, but they do have a presence here in Bethel, at 16 Parkway. They can be contacted at 824-2777 or e-mail: info@highland mortgage.com.

Jim Dearden, formerly of Bethel and now residing in Hampton, N.H., has joined for

his company, MetLife Financial Services. Jim can be contacted at (603) 778-4407 or jdearden@metlife.com.

Jim Bennett, who owns Computer Solutions of Maine, has joined for his new business; Norsemen Cycles. Jim specializes in Harley Davidson motorcycles, but also deals with snowmobiles and ATVs. Contact him at 824-3135 or norsemen@megalink.net.

Bethel Village Antiques etc. is also a new business, located at 37 Mill Hill Road. Virginia Bishop is the owner and she can be contacted at 824-4525 or dandjbishop@gwi.net.

Bear River Trading Post, owners Doug and Deb Webster, are excited about their new business venture at the intersection of Routes 2 and 26 in Newry. They are a certified tagging station and will be offering hunting and fishing supplies and licenses, as well as gas, convenience store items and other neat stuff. They can be contacted at 824-2327 or bearriv@mega link.net.

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From the

White Mountain National Forest

The White Mountain National Forest is pleased to join in celebration of National Public Lands Day on Saturday, Sept. 18. "National forests and grasslands are America's playgrounds and provide healthful outdoor recreation opportunities for millions of Americans," said Tom Wagner, forest supervisor of the White Mountain National Forest. "Making Sept. 18, a 'fee-free day' encourages Americans to enjoy their public lands and support President Bush's 'Healthier US' initiative by setting aside a day to recreate

and exercise."

Visitors are not required to purchase recreation parking passes on the White Mountain National Forest on Public Lands Day. However, fees will remain in effect for overnight camping, cabin rentals, permits, reservations, and activities offered by concessionaires.

An all-day event that celebrates our natural resources will be held at the Russell Colbath Homestead on Route 112 (Kancamagus Scenic Byway). Educational activities start at 10 a.m. and run through the day. The band, "Homemade Jam," will play at 1:30 p.m. and a visit by Mortimer Muck is scheduled for 2:15 p.m. There will be videos and plays during breaks. General public invited (bring own lunch).

For further information, contact Susan Spruce Eland at sspruceeland@fs.fed.us, (603) 447-5448 ext. 115, or Patti Dugan Henriksen at pdugan@swgirlscounts.org, or call (603) 466-3801.

From the

Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center

As part of Harvestfest on Sept. 18, the Bethel Historical Society will hold its annual Apple/Pumpkin Festival at the O'Neil Robinson House. Featured activities will be cider pressing, applesauce making, pumpkin decorating and a pumpkin whoopee pie sale beginning around noon. The exhibits on Bethel, Molly Ockett, and the Martin mineral plus the Museum Shop will also be open. There is no admission charge to the exhibits or event. For further information, please call the society office at 824-2908.

39th Annual Meeting

A rainy evening brought members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society inside for their 39th Annual Meeting and for the baked chicken dinner that preceded the meeting.

At the annual meeting, President Arlan Jodrey announced that the secretary's report would not be given since the last annual meeting (2003) was reported in the fall 2003 issue of the society's quarterly, "The Courier." He also stated that the annual financial report would be published in "The Courier" when the report becomes available from the society's C. P.A.

A moment of silence was observed for all the members who had died since the last annual meeting: Muriel Kilgore Ewing, Robert Stedman, Mary Mills, Marguerite McNally, James Sturtevant, Carol Hardenbrook, Julia Brown, William Howe, Lucille Holman, Ruth Wight, Robert Eichel, Kathryn Hamlin, Evelyn Nickerson, Mina McMillin, Barbara Kuzyk, Vance Richardson, and Herbert Kittridge.

The president reviewed some of the highlights of the past year since the last annual meeting: thirty new individual and three business/corporate members added to the rolls, over eighty donations to the research library and museum collection, the hosting of a number of successful special events, the sponsorship of a house and garden tour, the opening of the Molly Ockett exhibit funded by the Daughters of the American Revolution, the opening of a mineral exhibit, and the spring course on Northern New England and Canada. It was also announced earlier this year that the society was one of three sites selected by the Maine Humanities Council to host the Smithsonian Institution's "Barn Again!" exhibit in 2005. The society has already hosted a planning meeting in Bethel with the Maine Humanities Council and the other site representatives. In addition, the staff attended another meeting in Falmouth last month where a representative of the Smithsonian made a presentation about the exhibit.

The 18th annual Marjorie MacArthur Noll Volunteer Service Award was presented by President Jodrey to Avery

Angevine, who has been a longtime member of the society's Building Committee, where he has been involved in a number of projects in addition to attending and participating in committee meetings and the planning of the proposed addition to the Robinson House. He was active in installing the historic hitching post in front of the Robinson House, in moving the blacksmith shop further back in the Moses Mason lot, and in restoring the Sunday River snowroller. A generous donor to the society, he is also a life and honorary member. The Noll Volunteer Service Award is given each year to an outstanding volunteer who in the opinion of the Noll Award Committee best exemplifies the dedication and unselfish commitment to the society of Marjorie MacArthur Noll.

Dean Walker, chair of the Nominating Committee, presented the slate of officers and trustees for the 2004: president, Arlan Jodrey; vice president, Allen Cressy; secretary, Susan Herlihy; treasurer, Walter Hatch, trustees for three years: June Abbott and John Head. Other members of the Nominating Committee were Arlene Lowell, representing the general membership and Grace McKivergan, retiring trustee, who represented the Board of Trustees. The services of the two retiring trustees, Bill Andrews and Grace McKivergan were recognized by warm applause from all those in attendance.

It was moved to accept and elect the slate proposed by the Nominating Committee. It was also voted to elect Dean Walker and Arlene Lowell as the general membership representatives for the 2005 Annual Meeting. A trustee member will be elected in 2005 by the Board of Trustees.

Following these elections, Al Cressy, Board Trustee Chair, introduced the featured speaker for the evening, Marty Engstrom of Fryeburg, who spoke with considerable wit and humor on his years of traveling up and down Mt. Washington from 1964 to 2002. In his presentation, "Marty" noted the changes that occurred on the summit and in the technology of the television equipment used in the station on Mt. Washington. During the question and answer period, he was asked to flash his memorable smile that made him so famous to so many viewers of Channel 8.

Sons of American Revolution Meeting

On Saturday, Sept. 11, the Maine Society, Sons of the American Revolution, met at the Dr. Moses Mason House Meeting Room for their fall meeting. President Ed Branch presided at the meeting where a number of persons were honored, including an Eagle Scout, for community service. Among those honored from Bethel were Alden Kenney for his longtime service to the community and Executive Director Stan Howe, who this year marked his thirtieth year as site administrator of the Bethel Historical Society. After lunch, tours of the Regional History Center were enjoyed by the Sons and their wives. Society Director Howe later made a presentation on writers and composers who are buried in Bethel and discussed some of their works.

From

Oxford County Democrats

The Oxford County Democrats, in collaboration with the Bridgton and Jay Democratic Committees, completed the start-up of local field offices during the week of Sept. 6. Offices are open in Bethel at 196 Walkers Mills Road, Bridgton at 49 Main Street, Buckfield at 1 Turner Street, Mexico at 77 Main Street, Norway at 273 Main Street, and Jay at 150 Main Street. Office hours vary, with Mexico and Norway open weekdays and Saturdays, and the remaining offices still establishing hours.

Coordinators for the offices include Julie McDonald and Lew Irish in Mexico (369-0020), Rosita Friel in Buckfield (336-2511), Hilary Ware in Norway (729-2504), Barbra Barrett in Bethel (824-4814), Paul Gilbert and Barbara Cook in Jay (897-4535), and Jane Campino in



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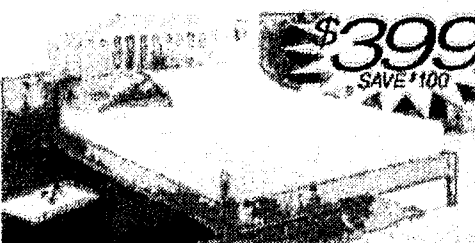
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The Buckfield Community Day Parade featured a variety of decorated vehicles for Democratic candidates, including Sen. Bruce Bryant, House candidate Terry Hayes, and Senate candidate Marge Medd. Rep. Rosita Gagne-Friel, who is prevented from seeking re-election due to term limits, marched and greeted her constituents.

The Democratic booth did a brisk business in campaign materials and was staffed by Hayes, campaign volunteers and Cathy Newell, Oxford

County Democratic chairperson. The Buckfield office was opened following the celebration.

The Oxford County Fair booth will be staffed by local volunteers during the period from Sept. 15-18. Volunteers have been secured for all slots, but others are encouraged to stop by and visit the booth. Myra Bethell of Fryeburg has been named coordinator for the Fryeburg Fair booth scheduling. Volunteers interested in helping staff at the booth during the fair, from Oct. 3-10, may contact her.

For information on the Oxford County Democrats, visit the Web site www.oxforddems.org or call Chairperson Cathy Newell at 875-2116.

School Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Carrabec 2, Telstar 1; Sept. 11— Telstar's Matt Zinchuk scored the Rebels only goal, on an assist from Kevin Zinchuk. Terry Collins had eight saves in goal. Carrabec scored with 12 seconds left to win the game. "Strong play by Blake Conrad on defense," said coach Tim Remington.

High School Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 2, Lisbon 1; Sept. 13— Telstar came from a 1-0 deficit at halftime to defeat Lisbon. Mallory Brown scored first on assist from Jillian Kimball to tie game 1-1. Kayla Mills scored with 1:29 left to play, with an assist from Stephanie Bennett, for the win. Heather Gionet and Stephanie Tripp took turns in the cage, with four saves each. Liz Rosenberg and Lindsay Hart were leaders on defense, stepping up in the second half with strong hits.

Telstar 6-Dirigo 0; Sept. 10— Six different girls scored as Telstar defeated Dirigo. Scorers with assists were: Kayla Mills-Megan Bailey; Chea Davis-Stephanie Bennett; Bailey Davis-Danna Wilson. With 20 seconds left in the first half: Mallory Brown-Danna Wilson. Second half: Nola Wentworth-Mallory Brown. Last goal (with 34 seconds left): Liz Rosenberg-Lindsay Hart. Corners: Telstar 17 to Dirigo 4. Shots: Telstar 35, Dirigo 2. Keepers Gionet and Tripp each had one save. "Nice defensive sweeps by Kara Jacques and Jillian Kimball," said coach Gail Wight.

Telstar 2, Mt. Valley 0; Sept. 8 — Telstar's Kayla Mills and Danna Wilson each scored in a win over Mt. Valley. Heather Gionet and Stephanie Tripp combined for the win in goal. Tripp had one save, as the Rebels outshot Mt. Valley, 33-1.

High School J.V. Field Hockey

Telstar 13, Mt. Valley 1; Sept. 8— Telstar defeated Mt. Valley by a score of 13-1. Kayla Damon and Kristie Carver each collected a hat trick. Josie Reiss and Chelsea Bean had two goals each. Tara Lunney, Abby Hutchins, and Marya Brooks each chipped in with one goal. Damon, Lunney, Hutchins, and Brooks (2) also recorded assists. Kara Thurlow picked up the win in the cage with 10 saves.

Telstar 5, Dirigo 0; Sept. 10— Telstar continued its winning streak with a victory over Dirigo. Kristie Carver picked up her second hat trick of the season. Marya Brooks and Tara Lunney also added a goal. Assists went to Kayla Damon (2), Lunney, Lisa Aron, and Chelsea Bean. Kara Thurlow picked up another win in the cage. Next game is Homecoming on Friday, Sept. 17.

High School Boys' Cross-country

Lisbon 18, Winthrop 48, Telstar 76, Dirigo NS, Mt. Valley NS; Sept. 8— Winning time: 16:33. Telstar racers: 7. Andrew Far-

ington (18:34); 23. Ryan Cross (25:28); 24. Andy Aloisio (25:30); 25. Clay Smith (26:16); 26. Roy DePasquale (26:43).

High School Girls' Cross-country

Meet at Dirigo, Sept. 8— Telstar's Brianna Bailey won the race in a time of 21:35. Jen DeNormandie placed fifth (28:13) and Kim Lauro sixth (28:19).

High School Golf

Telstar 5, Carrabec 0; Sept. 16— Telstar's Brady Chapman, Erroll Andrews and Sean Caddigan all defeated their opponents in a match at Lakewood Country Club.

TMS Varsity Soccer

Telstar 5, Livermore Falls 0; Sept. 14— Two goals scored by Doug Costello and a hat trick by Frankie DelDuca led the Rebels to a win over Livermore. Assists by Eva Thornton, Frankie DelDuca, Bryce Walker and Patrick Gallagher. Alex Gundersen got another shutout in goal.

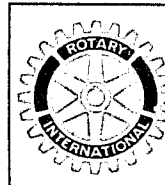
Telstar 4, Dirigo 0; Sept. 13— The TMS Varsity Soccer Team won its first game of the season, against Dirigo. Doug Costello scored three goals for a hat trick, and Josh Billings scored one. Alex Gundersen got a shutout in goal.

TMS J.V. Soccer

TMS 5, Livermore 0; Sept. 14— Telstar's Jacob Berry and Ethan Damon led the offense with one goal and one assist each in a win over Livermore. Additional goals by Gavin Lee, Darren Jodrey, and Keith Morin. Assists by Austin Jodrey and Parker Thurston. Sawyer Barter and Ben Field combined a fine effort in goal for the shutout. The defense once again stood strong and did not allow a single shot against in the second half of the game.

TMS 4, Dirigo 1; Sept. 13— The TMS JV Soccer team won their first game of the season, beating Dirigo 4-1 at home. Scoring started off with goals from Michael MacKnight and Troy Murphy, with two more added by Ridge Latham. Assists by Parker Thurston, Gavin Lee, Josh Bellinger, and Alan Hadley. "Sawyer Barter played shutout goalie work in the first half, and Daniel Vaughn played a very aggressive and effective role in goal for the second half. The defense was anchored on extra effort from Tim Aguilar. Great start to the season," said coach Mark Kenney.

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Wednesday: Two pizza sticks, cukes, bruschetta pizza, fish/cheese/bun.
Thursday: Spaghetti/meat sauce, dinner roll, peas, cheeseburger pizza, BBQ chicken hoagie.
Friday: Cheeseburger/bun, french fries, sausage pizza, roast beef/cheese sub.
Choice of milk and fresh or portioned fruit or fruit juice each meal.

SAD44 Elementary Schools Lunches

Monday: Chicken pattie/bun, broccoli, salad bar, fruit.
Tuesday: Chili w/beans, dinner roll, salad bar, fruit.
Wednesday: Tomato soup, tuna sandwich, salad bar, fruit.
Thursday: Meatball sub, salad bar, fruit, brownie.
Friday: Sausage pizza, salad bar, fruit, ice cream cup.
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Tuesday: Turkey/cheese sub w/lettuce, tomato and pickles, chips, grapes, milk.
Wednesday: American chop suey, garlic bread stick, raspberry sherbet, milk.
Thursday: Mozzarella sticks w/marinara sauce, cucumber slices, fruit salad, milk.
Friday: Shrimp poppers w/tartar sauce, cole slaw, french fries, orange wedge, milk.

AT BATES

Katrina A. Boelsma of Gil-ead is among 481 students who are starting at Bates College this fall.

Boelsma is a 2004 graduate of Gould Academy and the daughter of Andy and Jeanne Boelsma.

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Katie Wight of Newry was named to the dean's list for the spring semester at St. Joseph's College. Wight, a sophomore, is the daughter of Brad and Brenda Wight of Newry.

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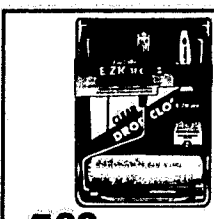
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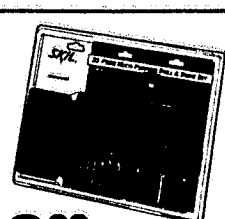
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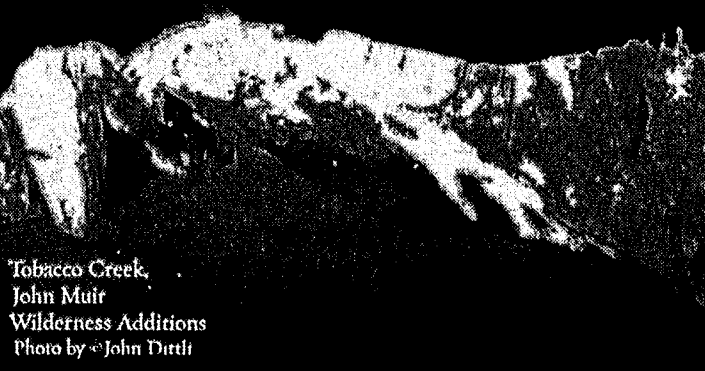
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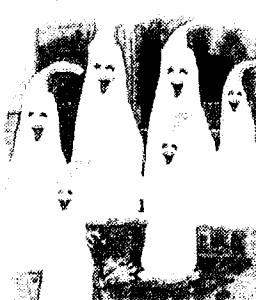
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9:00am-4:00pm - Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce tent. Stop by for general information or to learn about the many seasons of Bethel and all there is to do in the area. "Chowdah" cook-off tickets, and chainsaw artwork raffle tickets available here.

9:00am-4:00pm - Harvest Market: pumpkins, gourds, plants, vegetables & more.

9:00am-3:00pm - Chainsaw Art Demonstration by Ted Walker. Raffle tickets for a sculpture are \$3 each, or 2 for \$5, and are available at the Chamber tent and demonstration site.

10:00am-4:00pm - Apple & Pumpkin Festival at the Bethel Historical Society's Regional History Center across the street from the common.

10:00am-4:00pm - Robinson House open: exhibits, historical films, Museum Shop open across the street from the common.

9:00am-4:00pm - Self-guided 1/4 mile loop nature hike at the White Mountain National Forest Ranger Station on Route 2. Also check out their native wildflower garden.

11:00am-2:00pm - Musical entertainment at the gazebo featuring Denny Breaux and Friends.

10:30am-3:00pm - Wagon rides through Bethel village with Meadow Creek Farm.

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11:00am - The 2nd Annual Bethel Harvest Fest Apple Pie Contest. Bake a pie yourself, or come enjoy a of delicious slice of apple pie.

11:30am-1:30pm - Food booths: Rotary Club (hamburg, hotdogs, chicken kabobs), Lawlor's Italian ice, Birches Grill (specialty sodas)

12:00 noon, - Pumpkin whoopie pies on sale at the Bethel Regional History Center Robinson House across the street.

12:00-2:00pm - Smokey the Bear will be visiting on the common. Sponsored by the US Forest Service.

1:00pm - 4:00pm, enjoy cider and applesauce making, and take a tour of the period rooms at the Dr. Moses Mason House across the street at the Historical Society.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 18th EVENTS In the Area

6:00-10:00am - Early-riser fishing trip with Sun Valley Sports. Reservations recommended. 207.824.7533.

From 9:00am - Take the Androscoggin River Heritage Tour - a self-guided canoe/kayak tour from Gilead to Bethel. Pick up a free guide sheet to point out areas of historic significance (with some challenging & fun questions) at Bethel Outdoor Adventure on Rt. #2. Enjoy ½ price canoe/kayak rentals & shuttle service. 207.824.4224.

9:00am to dusk - Apple picking at Gibson's Apple Orchard. 4 miles out on the North Road from Rt. #2. A "pick your own" orchard with over 40 varieties to choose from. 207.836.2972.

9:00am to dusk - Pick your own Macs, Cortlands & Macouns at Lyon Orchard, just 3.1 miles out Grover Hill Road. 207.824.2842.

9:00am-noon - Bethel Farmers' Market at the Bethel Family Health Center parking lot, Railroad Street. Local farmers provide fresh produce, flowers, plants, eggs, home-made bread, and other farm-prepared goodies.

12:30-4:00pm - ATV tour of the Mahoosuc Mountains with Sun Valley Sports. Reservations recommended, 207.824.7533.

SUNDAY, Sept. 19th EVENTS In the Area

9:00 AM- Scenic "10 - 25" mile guided bike tour. Meet at the Casablanca Cinema 4 parking lot at 9am. Tour leaves promptly at 10am. No charge. Maps for self-guided bike tours also available.

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THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 16, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	WWE SmackDown!				News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven	Movie: "Little Big League"						Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Joey	Will & Grace		The Apprentice		News		
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Extreme Makeover		The Benefactor		PrimeTime Live		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Old House		Made In	Wide Angle		Soundstage		Charlie Rose
(22)	SportsCtr	College Football: California at Southern Mississippi						SportsCenter – Salute the Troops		
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		MXC	MXC	MXC	MXC	MXC	V-Spot
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	Survivor: Vanuatu		CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News	
(41)	Tailgate	NASCAR	Sports List	Best Damn Sports Show Period		Sports		Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	"Masterminds" Cont'd		Inside the NFL		Movie: "Underworld"			Real Sex 23		
(17)	Sister, Sis.	So Raven	Movie: "Motocrossed"				Lizzie	Sister, Sis.	Even	Boy World
(18)	"FeardoCom" Cont'd		Movie: "Two Weeks Notice"				Movie: "Malibu's Most Wanted"		Black Tie	
(20)	MLB Baseball: Tampa Bay Devil Rays at Boston Red Sox					Innings		Extra Inn	SportsPlus	ESPNews
(44)	Movie: "Mother of the Bride"				Movie: "I Do (But I Don't)"			Wedding Video		
(5)	MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at New York Mets						Movie: "Turner & Hooch"			
(24)	Neutron	Oddparents	SpongeBob	Sabrina	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.
(25)	"They Live" Cont'd		Movie: "The War of the Worlds"				Movie: "Godzilla"		War World	
(26)	JAG	Law/Ord SVU			Movie: "The Firm"					
(27)	American Justice		Cold Case Files				The First 48		Crossing Jordan	
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "Blame It on Rio"				WGN News at Nine		Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now			Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 17, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees						News		Frasier	Spin City
(32)	7th Heaven		Movie: "Home Alone 2: Lost in New York"				Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Dateline NBC		Third Watch		Medical Investigation		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Lopez		8 Rules		20/20: 25 on 20/20		News	
10	News-Lehrer		Wash Wk		Maine.	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Blackadder	Wall	Now With Bill Moyers
(22)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees						Who's Cursed Worse -- Red Sox and Cubs on Trial			
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		MXC	MXC
18	Ent. Tonight		The Insider		Big Brother 5		Joan of Arcadia		News	
(41)	Tailgate	NASCAR	Football	Best Damn	Sports Show Period		CSI: Crime	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	Inside the NFL		Ground Zero		Movie: "Basic"				Real Time	
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "The Emperor's New Groove"			Movie: "The Emperor's New Groove"			Braceface	Boy World
"Bull Durham" Cont'd							Movie: "The Untouchables"		Movie: "American Wedding"	
(20)	MLB Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees						Innings	Extra Inn	SportsPlus	ESPNews
(44)	Patty Duke Show: Still Rockin'-Brooklyn Heights				"Miracle on the Mountain: The Kincaid Family Story"				Merge	
(5)	Friends	MLB Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Florida Marlins						Austin Powers: Man of Mystery		
(24)	ChalkZone	Robot	Movie: "Jimmy Neutron: Boy Genius"			SpongeBob	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Cosby
(25)	"Halls of Montezuma"		Movie: "Battle of the Bulge"				Movie: "Prophecy"			
(26)	JAG	Law/Ord SVU		Law/Ord SVU			Monk		Law/Ord SVU	
(27)	American Justice		Biography		Biography			American Justice		
(12)	Will-Grace	Home Imp.	Movie: "Born in East L.A."				WGN News at Nine		Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now			Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown		Lou Dobbs Tonight	

SATURDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 18, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Star Trek: Enterprise		Amish in the City		News	Red Sox	Star Trek: Enterprise	
(32)	"The Great Outdoors"		Movie: "Fletch Lives"				Whose?	Whose?	Whose?	Whose?
6	Maine	Seinfeld	The Apprentice				Crossing Jordan		News	Sat. Night
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funniest Home Videos		Miss America			News		CSI
10	Made In	Maine Art	Evening at Pops			Mystery!		Maine	Red Green	Red Green
(22)	College Football: Notre Dame at Michigan State						College Football: USC at BYU			
(34)	WWE Velocity		Wildest Police Videos		Wildest Police Videos		Wildest Police Videos		Wildest Police Videos	
18	News		College Football: Florida at Tennessee					News	Ent. Tonight	
(41)	Football	NASCAR	NASCAR	NASCAR	NASCAR	NASCAR	Tailgate	Football	Poker Superstars	
(15)	Movie: "The Ring" Cont'd		Movie: "Matchstick Men"				Movie: "American Splendor"			
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Brandy & Kim	Lilo & Stitch	Barbarian	Lizzie	Phil	Braceface	Boy World	
(18)	"City by the Sea" Cont'd		Movie: "Cradle 2 the Grave"			MAX on Set	Movie: "Once Upon a Time in Mexico"			
(20)	CFL Football: Toronto Argonauts at Winnipeg Blue Bombers						CFL Football: Edmonton Eskimos at B.C. Lions			
(44)	"Deadly Encounter"		Movie: "Her Deadly Rival"				Missing		What Should You Do?	
(5)	College Football: Clemson at Texas A&M							Movie: "Road House"		
(24)	Jimmy N	SpongeBob	Grown Up	Romeo!	All That	Amanda	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Cosby
(25)	"The Green Berets"		Movie: "The Longest Day"							
(26)	Movie: "The Cell" Cont'd		Law/Ord SVU		Law/Ord SVU		Law/Ord SVU		Law Order CI	
(27)	City Confidential		American Justice			Cold Case Files		City Confidential		The First 48
(12)	MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds						WGN News at Nine		Becker	"The Mack"
(39)	The Capital Gang		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Saturday Night		CNN Presents	

SUNDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 19, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	
(3)	Patriots 5th Quarter		CSI: Crime Scn		CSI: Crime Scn		News	Red Sox	Walker, Texas Ranger		
(32)	"Drive Me Crazy" Cont'd		Movie: "Celeste in the City"				3rd Rock	3rd Rock	3rd Rock	3rd Rock	
6	Movie: "Titanic"								News		
8	Cndwn-Emmys		The 56th Annual Primetime Emmy Awards								
10	American Faml		Nature		Mystery!		Maine	To Contrary	Religion		
(22)	SportsCtr.	NFL Primetime		NFL Football: Miami Dolphins at Cincinnati Bengals						SportsCtr.	
(34)	WWE Sunday Night Heat		Wildest Police Videos		Movie: "Conan the Destroyer"				"Conan the Destroyer"		
60 Minutes			Cold Case		CSI: Miami		Without a Trace		News	Friends	
(41)	Boxing		Beyond the Glory		Poker Superstars		Sports List	America	Beyond the Glory		
(15)	Movie: "Drumline" Cont'd				The Wire		Family	Da Ali G	Russell Simmons: Poetry		
(17)	Phil	So Raven	Movie: "Homeward Bound II: Lost in San Francisco"				Lizzie	Phil	Braceface	Boy World	
(18)	Malibu	Movie: "Catch Me if You Can"					Movie: "Terminator 3: Rise of the Machines"				
(20)	PGA	Fishing	Outdoors	Outdoors	NE Journal	Camo Cnt	Divers	The Ride	PGA	SportsDesk	
(44)	Movie: "Her Best Friend's Husband"				Strong Medicine		Wild Card		Missing		
(5)	"Rush Hour" Cont'd		Movie: "Gone in 60 Seconds"					Movie: "Gone in 60 Seconds"			
(24)	Drake	School	Unfabulous	Romeo!	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr.	Cosby	Roseanne	Roseanne	
(25)	"Great Expectations"				Movie: "When Harry Met Sally"		Movie: "Carlito's Way"				
(26)	Movie: "Major Payne"				Movie: "Next Friday"				Law/Ord SVU		
(27)	Columbo-Ashes		Movie: "Poirot: Death on the Nile"				Movie: "Poirot: Sad Cypress"				
(12)	Funniest Home Videos		Movie: "10"				WGN News		Replay	The X-Files	
(39)	People in the News		CNN Presents		Larry King Live		CNN Sunday Night		CNN Presents		

MONDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 20, 2004

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	One	Half & Half	Girlfriends	Second	News		Fear Factor	
(32)	7th Heaven	Movie: "Picture Perfect"					Whose?	Whose?	The 700 Club	
6	News	Seinfeld	Fear Factor		Las Vegas		LAX		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	The Benefactor		NFL Football: Minnesota Vikings at Philadelphia Eagles					
10	News-Lehrer		Antiques Roadshow		History Detectives		Extreme Oil		Extreme Oil	
(22)	Sports-Cr.	Monday Night Countdown			World-Poker		World-Poker		World-Poker	
(34)	CSI: Crime Scn	CSI: Crime Scn		WWE Raw				MXC		MXC
13	Ent. Tonight	The Insider	Still	Listen Up	Raymond	Two Men	CSI: Miami		News	
(41)	Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period			Sports List	Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show	
(15)	"The Transporter" Cont'd		Movie: "Intolerable Cruelty"			Atlantic City Hookers			Ground Zero	
(17)	Sister, Sis.	So Raven	Movie: "Tiger Cruise"			Lizzie	Sister Sis	Even	Boy World	
(18)	"Kangaroo Jack" Cont'd		Movie: "Once Upon a Time in Mexico"			Movie: "Analyze That"				
(20)	MLB Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox					Innings	Extra Inn	SportsDesk	Red Sox	
(44)	Movie: "Crimes of Passion: Nobody Lives Forever"				Movie: "Found"				How Clean	Golden
(5)	Seinfeld	Friends	Raymond	Raymond	Movie: "What About Bob?"			Movie: "Uncle Buck"		
(24)	Neutron	Oddparents	SpongeBob	Drake	Full House	Full House	Fresh Pr	Fresh Pr	Roseanne	Roseanne
(25)	"When Harry Met Sally"		Movie: "The River"					Movie: "Black Widow"		
(26)	The Dead Zone		Law/Ord SVU		Law/Ord SVU		Law/Ord SVU		Law/Ord SVU	
(27)	American Justice		Cold Case Files		Family	Gotti	Airline	Airline	Crossing Jordan	
(12)	Baseball	Home Imp.	Movie: "Snap Decision"			WGN News at Nine			Becker	Becker
(39)	Anderson Cooper 360	Paula Zahn Now		Larry King Live		NewsNight-Aaron Brown				
									Lou Dobbs Tonight	

Events Calendar ~ September 16 ~ November 12

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

9 a.m. (Fridays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Fare Share Food Coop, 443 Main Street, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@megalink.net.

Bethel Farmers Market — Saturdays 9 a.m. to noon at Bethel Family Health Center.

1, 3 and 5 p.m. — Scenic Heritage Boat Tours, Berlin, N.H. sponsored by Northern Forest Heritage Park, 961 Main Street (603) 752-7202 or heritage@ncia.net. Adults, \$10; age 6 to 12, \$5; under 6 free.

Every Saturday thru Sept. 25, 8 to 12 p.m. — Dance at Waterford Fairgrounds, North Waterford. \$8 per person. Live band music and refreshments on sale.

Thru September — "Cool Days, Hot Nights" art show featuring Gil Whitman with 15 other Maine artists, including Duncan Slade. Thursday-Sunday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sunday, noon to 4 p.m. at Matolcsy Art Center, 480 Main Street, Norway.

Thru September 18

Oxford County Fair. Midway, crafts, exhibits, livestock shows and pulling events.

Thursday, September 16

At Northern Forest Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H.: **Artist Reception and Demonstration.** Byzantine-Russian iconography and Khokhloma, Russian folk art presented by artist and iconography instructor Sandra June Hofstead. Light refreshments. Open to public 2 to 7 p.m. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

5:30 p.m. — **Benefit Supper** for Franklin Barton at the Albany Congregational Church, Hunts Corner Road. Menu: beans, brown bread, casseroles, salads, pies, beverages. Adults: \$6; children: \$3.

Friday, September 17

10:30 a.m. — Oxford County Education Association-Retired meeting at Bolsters Mills Methodist Church. Business meeting at 11 a.m. Program: "Dolls — Past and Present," presented by Lorraine Parsons. Fundraiser is cookie walk. To reserve a lunch, call 583-2524.

6 p.m. — **Neighbor-to-Neighbor Program**, sponsored jointly by the Maine Council of Churches' Environmental Justice Program and Maine Chapter of the Sierra Club, begins with a potluck supper followed by an interactive and informative program on "clean air" at 7:15 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 479 Main Street, Norway. FMI: Sierra Club (761-5616) or Maine Council of Churches (623-0516).

September 17-18-19

7th annual Bethel Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cook-off. Friday: tours of local mills, etc., beginning at 10 a.m.; Saturday on the Common, Arts and Crafts Festival (begins at 9 a.m.); Chowdah Cook-off, Apple Pie Contest, music at the gazebo 11 a.m. thru mid-afternoon; Sunday, scenic bicycle tour. For more information, call the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce at 824-2282.

Saturday, September 18

All Day — **Fee-Free Day** in White Mountain National Forest in observance of National Public Lands Day (no recreation parking passes required). Fees in effect for camping, cabin rentals, permits, reservations, etc. Educational activities start at 10 a.m. at Russell Colbath Homestead on Route 112 (Kancamagus Scenic Byway). FMI: Susan Spruce Eland (603) 447-5448 or Patti Dugan Henriksen (603) 466-3801.

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — **Harvest Fair** at Pleasant Valley Grange, Route 2, West Bethel. Fresh vegetables, baked goods, coffee, jams and jellies, flea market.

10 a.m. to noon — **Fall Flower Arranging Workshop** with Michael Desplaines of Copperline Ranch at Matolcsy Art Center, 480 Main Street, Norway. \$35 fee includes materials, you bring container or vase. FMI: 743-8033.

12:30 to 6 p.m. **Fruits of the Vineyard** with Jerry Rodman, Litchfield, at McLaughlin Foundation, 97 Main Street, South Paris. Learn about grape varieties for Maine climate as well as planting, pruning and harvesting techniques. Wine tasting at end of day. Dress for outdoors. Carpool leaves from McLaughlin's at 12:30 p.m. or plan to arrive in Litchfield by 2 p.m. FMI: 743-8820.

5 to 6 p.m. — **Public Supper** at West Paris Grange Hall. Tickets: \$6 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Sponsored by West Paris Grange 298.

5 p.m. and 6 p.m. — **Chicken Pie Supper** at Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church. Adults, \$7, under 12, \$3. Handicapped accessible. Sale of tickets begins at 4 p.m. Reservations taken Saturday between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. by calling 583-9024. Donations welcome.

5:30 to 6:30 p.m. — **Church Supper** at West Bethel Union Church. Adults: \$5, under 12: \$2.50.

7 to 11 p.m. — **BBQ (6 p.m.) and Dance (7 to 11 p.m.)** at Locke Mills Legion, Gore Road. \$10 per person. Music by Record Family Band. Call DeeDee for reservations (539-4012).

7:30 p.m. — "Lonesomes and Twosomes" with Karen Montanaro and Jackie Reifer will be featured at Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield. Tickets: \$10 for adults, \$8 for seniors, and \$6 for 12 and under, available at Northeast Bank, Buckfield, or call the box office at 336-3306 Wednesday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. or Friday noon to 5 p.m. Visa and MasterCard accepted. FMI: visit www.oddfellow.com.

September 18-25

Farmington Fair. Midway, exhibits, harness racing, livestock exhibits and pulling events.

Sunday, September 19

1 p.m. — **Troopette Bingo** at West Paris Town Office, to support West Paris Servicemen in Iraq. 12 cards for \$10. Specials \$1 per card. 50/50. Raffle tickets. Refreshments. FMI or to donate: 674-2114, 674-2708 or 674-2936.

2 p.m. — **Old Time Radio Gang** returns to St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H. Special guest, Erica Brown, fiddler. American country radio music of the '30s and '40s. Tickets: \$10 at door. FMI: (603) 752-1028.

3 p.m. — **Concert of piano, organ, piano duets, and singing** by Timothy A. Blodgett, 15, and Jennifer McPherson, 13, will be presented at Mexico First Baptist Church, 20 Roxbury Road, Mexico. Love offering will be taken.

6:30 p.m. — **Memorial Hymn Sing** at the Locke Mills Union Church. Choir consists of Locke Mills Church, Rumford Point Congregational Church and a few from South Paris and Bethel. Refreshments will follow. Come and sing and remember.

Monday, September 20

7 to 12 a.m. — **American Red Cross Blood Drive** at Ripley Medical Office Building Conference Room, 181 Main Street, Norway, sponsored by Stephens Memorial Hospital. FMI or to schedule appointment: call (800) 482-0743. Walk-ins welcome but appointments preferred.

11:30 a.m. — **Christian Women United** luncheon/meeting at First Congregational Church, South Paris. Speaker/Music: Ginger Mae Dyer of Cornish. Those not contacted call Pearl Anderson (743-5724) for reservation.



SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 at 7:30 p.m. "Lonesomes and Twosomes" with Karen Montanaro and Jackie Reifer will be featured at Oddfellow Theater, Route 117, Buckfield. Tickets: \$10 for adults, \$8 for seniors, and \$6 for 12 and under, available at Northeast Bank, Buckfield, or call the box office at 336-3306

Thursday, September 23

At Northern Forest Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H.: **Workshop Khokhloma** by artist and iconography instructor Sandra June Hofstead. Materials and instruction to create a traditional khokhloma egg provided. Pre-registration suggested for 6 to 9 p.m. workshop at \$25 per participant. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

Saturday, September 25

9 a.m. to 2 p.m. — **Aziscoos Grange Fair**, Route 16, Wilsons Mills at Grange Hall beside Fire Station. Huge Yard Sale/Food Table white elephant, antiques, X-mas table, crafts, raffles, herb vinegars, books. Dining room open all day, homemade soups/chowders, baked beans, hot dogs, hamburgers, potato salad, coleslaw, beverages, homemade desserts.

The **28th Annual Dixville Half-Marathon**, Dixville Notch to Colebrook, N.H. Pre-registration deadline is \$20 for runners and \$15 for walkers by Sept. 13. After Sept. 13 registration fee is \$25. FMI: (603) 237-4971 ext 257 or write PO Box 44, Colebrook, NH 03576.

8 to 11 p.m. — **Old Fashioned Dance** at the Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society. Come and enjoy.

4:30 and 6:30 p.m. — **Harvest Supper** at Gorham (N.H.) Congregational Church, UCC, 243 Main Street (603) 466-2136. Menu: red flannel hash, baked beans, corned beef, turkey, rolls, brown bread, coleslaw, pie, beverage. Adults, \$6; under 12, \$3.

Sunday, September 26

At Northern Forest Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H.: **5th annual Androscoggin Lumberjack Festival.** Lumberjack breakfast 8 to 11 a.m., lumberjack competition at 11 a.m., flea market, children's lumberjack activities and games, hay games and demonstrations, log rolling demonstrations, blacksmith demonstrations, chainsaw carving, mill tours, boat tours, moose tours, preservation of nature exhibit, barbecue, homemade pies and cookies, and more. Admission: Adults, \$7, age 12 and under accompanied by adult, free (add'l fees for tours). FMI: (603) 752-7202.

1 p.m. (doors open 11:30 a.m.) — **Basket Bingo** featuring Longaberger items, new and retired, at Jackson-Silver Post 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills. FMI and to purchase advance \$10 tickets, call 836-2771, or e-mail grondin@megalink.net. Must have phone number to return call. Tickets at door: \$12. Basket raffles, 50/50 raffles, snack items.

8 to 11 p.m. — **Old Fashioned Dance** at Locke Mills Town Hall. Music by Richard Felt Orchestra. Benefit of the Greenwood Historical Society.

October 1-17

Schoolhouse Arts Center's Youth Shakespeare Performance Workshop presents a magical version of Shakespeare's **A Midsummer Night's Dream**. Fridays and Saturdays 7:30 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. Tickets: \$10 for adults and \$8 for students and seniors. Order tickets by calling 642-3743. Appropriate for all ages.

Saturday, October 2

5:30 p.m. — **Public Supper** at Bethel United Methodist Church, Main Street. Baked beans, hot dishes, salads, pie, rolls, beverage. Adults: \$6; under 12, \$2.50.

Saturday, October 9

7 p.m. — **Musical Performance** by Leah Wolf-song and Reinaldo Cortez at Fare Share Commons, Main Street, Norway. Doors open 6:30 p.m. Admission: \$8, under 12 free.

Wednesday, October 13

11 a.m. — **Bethel Senior Citizens Club** luncheon/meeting at West Bethel Grange Hall, West Bethel.

Saturday, October 16

5 p.m. and 6 p.m. — **Chicken Pie Supper** at Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church. Adults, \$7, under 12, \$3. Handicapped accessible. Sale of tickets begins at 4 p.m. Reservations taken Saturday between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. by calling 583-9024. Donations welcome.

Sunday, October 17

1 p.m. — **Troopette Bingo** at West Paris Town Office, to support West Paris Servicemen in Iraq. Drawings: filled Longaberger basket, 1/4 cord firewood, \$50 Perham's gift certificate, \$50 gravel products, etc. 12 cards for \$10. Specials \$1 per card. 50/50. Raffle tickets. Refreshments. FMI or to donate: 674-2114, 674-2708 or 674-2936.

Friday, October 22

6 p.m. — **Neighbor-to-Neighbor Program**, sponsored jointly by the Maine Council of Churches' Environmental Justice Program and Maine Chapter of the Sierra Club, potluck supper followed by an interactive and informative program, "Turning to Earth: Ecological Conversion," at 7:15 p.m. at the first Congregational Church, 17 East Main Street, South Paris. FMI: Sierra Club (761-5616) or (Maine Council of Churches (623-0516).

Saturday, October 23

9 a.m. to 1 p.m. — **West Paris Grange Fair** at Grange Hall. FMI or to donate: call Pat (674-3241) or Bertha (674-3046).

Friday, November 12

6 p.m. — **Neighbor-to-Neighbor Program**, sponsored jointly by the Maine Council of Churches' Environmental Justice Program and Maine Chapter of the Sierra Club, potluck supper followed by an interactive and informative program on "Thinking Globally/Eating Locally" at 7:15 p.m. at Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Route 117, South Paris. FMI: Sierra Club (761-5616) or (Maine Council of Churches (623-0516).

Support Services

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

AA MEETINGS

Bethel Freedom Group's Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Closed Women's Speaker/Discussion Meeting, Tuesdays at 6:30 at the United Methodist Church, Main Street.

Bethel Freedom Group's Step Meeting, Fridays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church.

Big Book, People Who Need People Group. Open-reading discussion. Wednesdays from 6-7pm at the Bethel Alliance Church, Route 26. (entrance in rear.)

Al-Anon Meeting Mondays at 8pm at the Oxford Advent Christian Church (use the north side entrance of the church)

ALCOHOL/DRUG TREATMENT

Community Concepts' Alcohol & Drug Counseling Program is now accepting appointments in Bethel every Thursday and Friday. MaineCare welcome. DEEP certified. Call 364-3721 for appointment. Community Concepts is a non-profit organization with a mission to "help people build opportunities for a better tomorrow."

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday 10am-12pm.

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS SUPPORT GROUP

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30pm at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Tout at 836-2900.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Meets Tuesday in the conference room at the Mexico Congregational UCC ("The Green Church"), 153 Main Street, Mexico. Everything spoken and heard here is confidential. Anyone trying to cope with the loss of a loved one is welcome. FMI call Sue Byam at 364-8185

MENTAL ILLNESS SUPPORT GROUP

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional, or physical illness, provides support, relaxation, and socialization. Monday 1 to 5pm; Tuesday 9am-2pm; Wednesday 9am-8pm; Wednesday 8-8pm; Friday 2-7pm; Saturday 11am-4pm. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness, same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday 8am-4pm. For more information, call 364-3549 or (800) 335-9999, or in off-hours 928-3222.

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

VETERANS' SERVICES (STATE/VA BENEFITS)

Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9-12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday 9-12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 29 Westminster St., 7:30am to 4pm, Monday thru Friday. Location: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15pm. Tel. 392-4841.

Church Services

ALBANY

Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School; Pastor Eddie Gammon. Bible Study 6:30 Wednesdays at the church.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church Pastor Jane Rich. Sunday morning worship 10 a.m. followed by coffee fellowship. Tuesday - Sunday School 3:45 for children through grade 5. Produce donated to hungry families. All are welcome. Wednesday, choir practice at 6:30. All are welcome.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor John O'Keefe. Morning worship at 9:30 with brunch to follow. Wednesday bible study and prayer meeting 6:30 p.m., Route 5, S. Andover. 392-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church - Pastor Kevin Bellinger. 10 a.m. worship. Sunday School at 9 a.m. Evening fellowship and youth ministries at 6 p.m. on Sundays. Prayer fellowship 7 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School (2 hours, including recreation activities; call 824-4028 for transportation). 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

West Parish Congregational - Rev. Virginia Rickman. 9:30 a.m. worship. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m., FMI call 824-0550.

Our Lady of the Snows - Mass - Saturday, 4:30 p.m. Pastor: Rev. Gerald A. Levesque. 743-2606

United Methodist - Geoffrey Gross, Pastor. 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. There is also an adult study group during Sunday School.

West Bethel Union - a.m. worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-2844 or 836-2882. Rev. Earl H. Bell.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Don Steffen. 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. Awana Clubs. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Episcopal House Church - Holy communion service the third or fourth Sunday of every month at 4 p.m. at 38 Chapman Street. For further information, call the Reverend Gwyneth Bohr at 824-2913. September service is the 12th at 4pm.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Worship at 9 a.m. Sunday. 824-3577 FMI.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish - North Waterford Congregational Church & Stoneham Congregational Church - Sunday worship services 10 a.m. at Stoneham (through June).

Sunday School, 10 a.m. Rev. George Probig, 693-6461.

GORHAM, NH

Assembly of God - Pastor Paul Levisen. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday service 10:30 a.m., Sunday evening service 7 p.m., Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.. FMI 603-466-2851.

HARRISON

Bolster's Mills United Methodist Church - Bolster's Mills Road, Harrison, Maine. Rev. Walter R. Brown, Pastor. Sunday worship at 8:45 a.m. Church school 10:15 a.m. for kids kindergarten - grade 12. Call 583-9024 or 998-7040 for more info.

LOCKE MILLS

Locke Mills Union - Rev. Frank Haines Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m.

MEXICO

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints - 265 Main Street. Worship service Sundays at 10am. Pres. Peter Beeckel. 364-5881.

NEWRY

Newry Community Church - Sunday worship service 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor. (Services in the church will resume in April).

NORWAY/PARIS

Christian Science Society - Sunday service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info or ride.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church - Route 117N, S. Paris. Pastor Tom Teichmann. Sunday morning service 9 a.m. with coffee fellowship immediately after.

North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m.. Pastor Bruce Tyner. 674-2968. Singersperation third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m..

Oxford Hills Friends (Quakers) - Sunday worship 9:30 a.m. at HOPE Ripley Center, High Street, S. Paris across the park from the Post Office. Call Ursula Brandon at 665-2880 or Sue Reilly at 966-2012 for more information.

Christ Episcopal Church - 35 Paris St., Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m.; Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.; Healing service with communion 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday. Rev. Anne Stanley. Call 743-6782 for more information.

First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 a.m. worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour will follow the service. Fellowship lunch will be held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake.

Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Rev. Joy Gasta.

Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2288

RUMFORD

St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Mass, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Canon Henry Male, Jr. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary.

RUMFORD CENTER

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. Sunday School 9:00 a.m., Sunday worship service at 10:00 a.m. Sunday prayer meeting at 6:00 p.m. Wednesday night bible study at 7:00 p.m. East Andover Rd. For more information, call 364-3856.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Pastor Frank Haines.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - Rev. Joy Gasta, 9 a.m. worship (Sept. - mid-June). 674-2365.

West Paris Baptist - Sunday Worship 8:15 a.m., Bruce Tyner, Pastor. Sunday School Preschool thru kindergarten 9:45am, Sunday School Grades 1-6, 10:25am. Sunday evening worship 7:00 p.m.; Monday Diaconette meeting first Monday of the month; Tuesday ladies fellowship meets the fourth Tuesday of every month. Tea & Toys Time Bi-Weekly 9:30-11:30am, Adult Choir Wednesday evenings, Wednesday Bible Study and Prayer 7pm, church business meetings the third Wednesday of the month.

West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Lawrence Hodgkins, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Adult Bible Fellowship 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Kid's hour 6:30 p.m.; Prayer meeting & bible study 6:30 p.m.

Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

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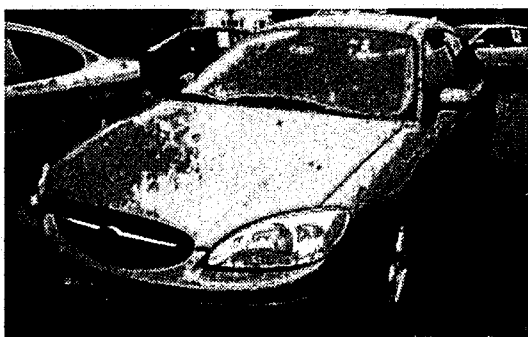


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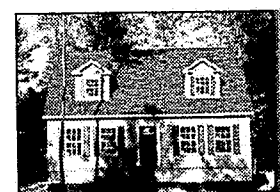
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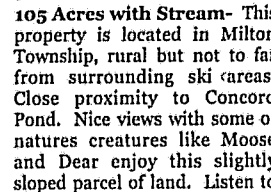
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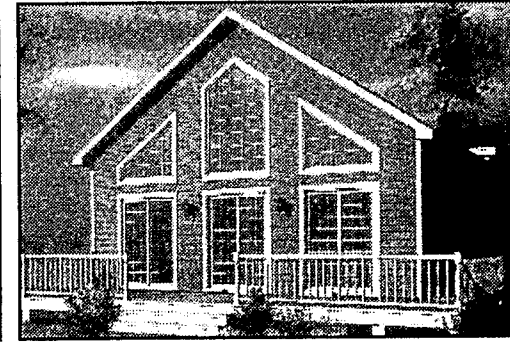
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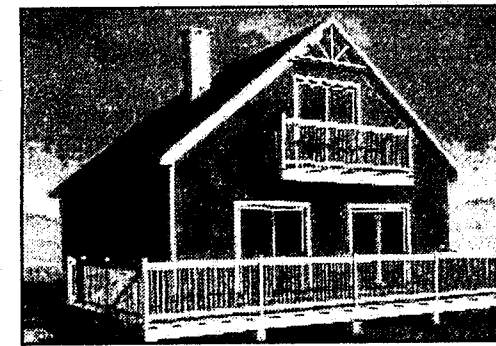
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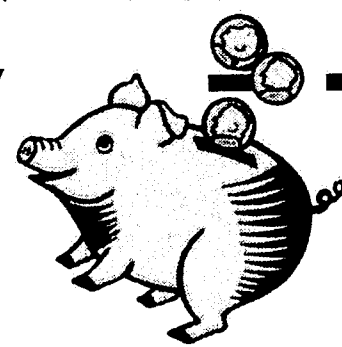
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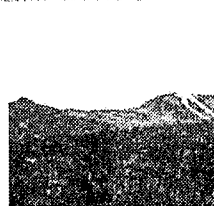
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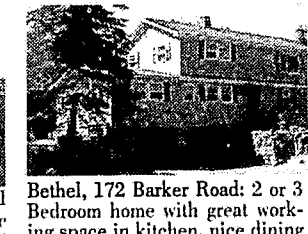
COMING SOON - Farwell Mountain Estates - Panoramic Views of the Presidential and Malheur Ranges from these gorgeous house lots off the Intervale Road. Just minutes from town and all the area has to offer. 2+/- to 3+/- acre parcels starting at **\$79,000**



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Village Home - Walk to everything Bethel has to offer from this cozy 3 bedroom bungalow on .11 acres. Large kitchen, living room and small porch add to the charm of this home. An attic and spacious closets make for plenty of storage. Shingle siding and a metal roof makes for low maintenance living. **\$80,000**



Bethel, 172 Barker Road: 2 or 3 Bedroom home with great working space in kitchen, nice dining area and living room, perfect for entertaining. Sun room, situated overlooking the spacious back yard, also, a cozy 1 bedroom apartment for income potential or if needed extra rooms for larger families. **\$189,000**



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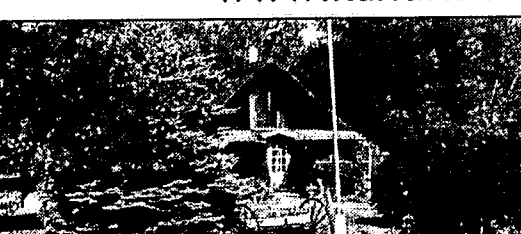
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New Listing: Lovely landscaping and private pond surrounds this one bdrm log home. Located just outside Bethel Village on two acres. Spacious living area offers cathedral ceiling and fireplace. Covered deck off living area is great area to put your hot tub. Two car garage and much more. Priced at **\$190,000**



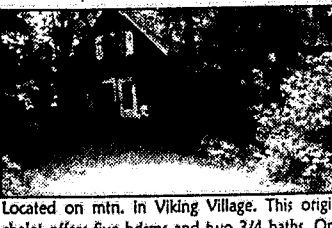
Clark Street: Spectacular Home on 2+/- acres in Bethel Village. This lovely two bdrm home sits at the end of cul-de-sac. Cathedral ceilings in living area with lovely hearth for wood stove. Wood flooring throughout this home. Top of the line kitchen cabinetry with corian counters. Deck, off dining area. Attached garage, full basement. Priced at **\$260,000**



Spectacular Views, Spectacular Design, Spectacular Home. Unique one of a kind log home located at the top of Powder Ridge. Living area offers stone fireplace, cathedral ceilings. Step up to dining area that flows into commercial kitchen. Three bedrooms offer views of the mountain range. Fieldstone adorns the master bath. Complete lower level of home offers separate professional fitness room with state of the art equipment. Recreational area has wetbar, billiard, games and more. Deck surrounds the home with hot tub overlooking in gazebo overlooking the mountain. Heated three bay garage with additional storage space. The roofing tops off this unique home. A must see. For details call Handlen & Martin Realty



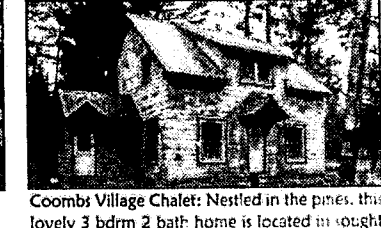
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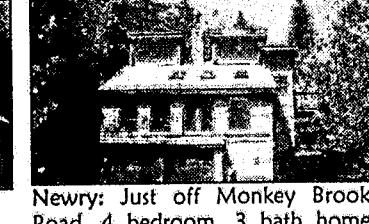
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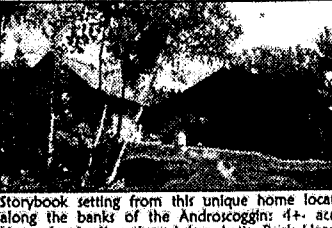
Newry, Sunday River Village. Four bedroom, three bath home with tile floors, Corian with all stainless Jenn-air app, and Corian counters. Basement is full lock-out apartment with 3 br, 3/4 bath, kit, laundry and living rm. **\$290,000**



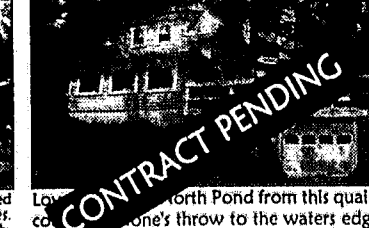
Newry: Just off Monkey Brook Road, 4 bedroom, 3 bath home located minutes from Sunday River Ski Area and minutes from the new golf course. **\$300,000**



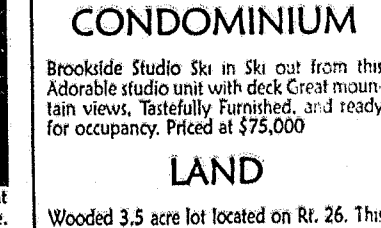
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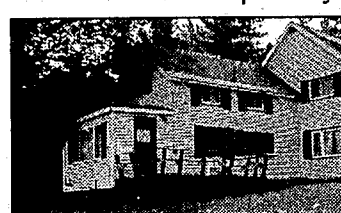
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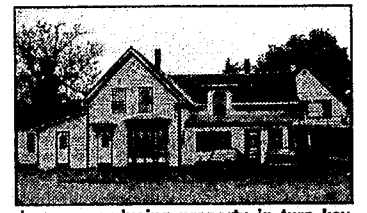
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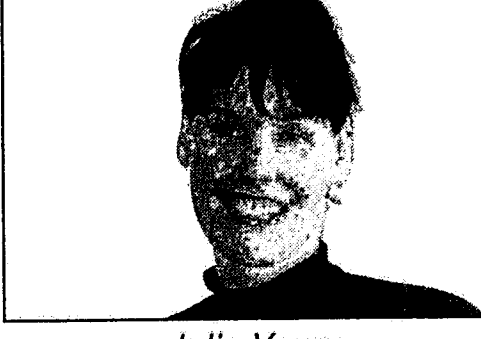
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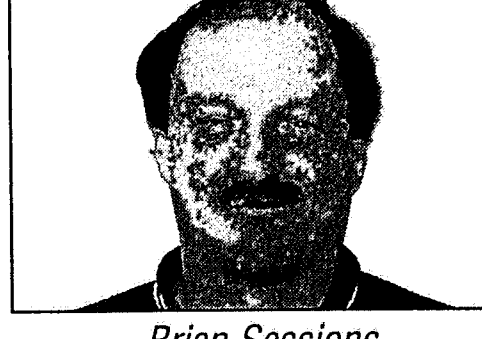
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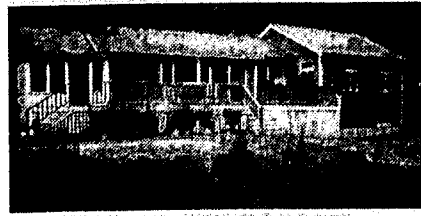
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- Newly Renovated

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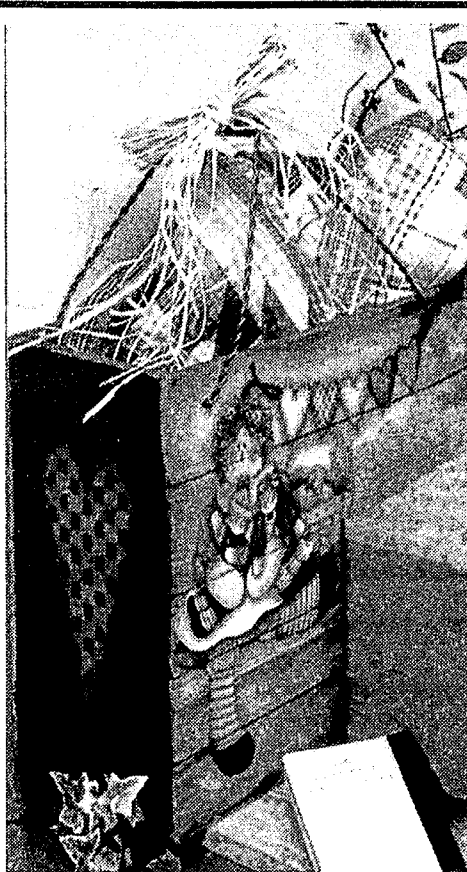
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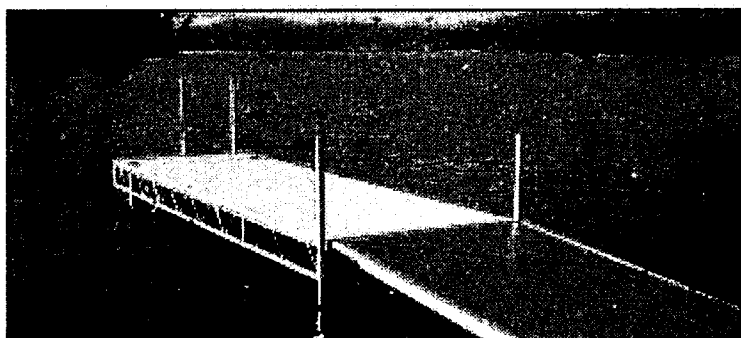
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Cornin Rd, Bryant Pond: 33 beautiful acres with mountain and lake views and at the end of the private driveway, a uniquely designed, spacious & creative two-unit house. Two kitchens, 2LRs, 5BRs, 2 baths, fireplace, slate floors, 3 lofts, lots of glass and a breathtaking view from the balcony. Secluded yet close to all town facilities, conveniently located between Lake Christopher & North Pond, and only minutes from Bethel and Sunday River Ski Resort! This is a "must see" property. **\$279,000**



Pleasant St., Greenwood: Three bedroom farmhouse with lots of room, close to town, and minutes from Mt. Abram Ski Area. Or, if boating is your hobby, this house is within walking distance to the public boat launch in Greenwood! Whichever recreational activity you prefer, this house is close to beautiful mountains, large lakes and sits on a quiet back road. **\$112,000**



Sandy River, Starks: Picture your own private beach, 1600 ft. on the Sandy River and a beautifully remodeled 5BR, 3 Bath farmhouse. New dormers, new clapboards & paint, new roof shingles, all new wiring, new plumbing, new furnace, new 72 ft. farmer's porch and much, much more! All this on 49 acres with large well-maintained barn, silo, detached garage and pond. Some owner financing possible. Just reduced from \$349,000, to **\$329,000**



Shagg Pond, Woodstock: WATERFRONT with a spectacular WATERFALL view from its extra-large rear deck! This newer 3BR ranch boasts 14 acres with 100 feet of pristine shoreline and a dock on quiet Shagg Pond. Open a window and listen to the gentle waterfall nearby or take a walk to Washburn Pond nearby. Nice floorplan and tilework add value to make this a rare offering at an attractive price. **\$249,000**

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GRAND VIEW ESTATES, BETHEL: Just four lots left! Serenity, mountain views and spectacular sunsets await you at Grand View Estates. This subdivision, located off the Intervale Road, just minutes from the town of Bethel, is just waiting for you to build your ski vacation or year round home. Boasting views of Sunday River Ski Resort, the lots range in size from 1.1 acres to 1.45 acres. Call today for a viewing today to pick out your lot. **\$23,900. & \$24,900.**

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JOHNSON PARK, BETHEL: Buildable half acre lot in a quiet subdivision within 15 minutes to Sunday River & Mt. Abram Ski resorts. Stop renting and build your own home today! Modulars and newer mobiles are also allowed so don't let another season pass. Only **\$15,900**

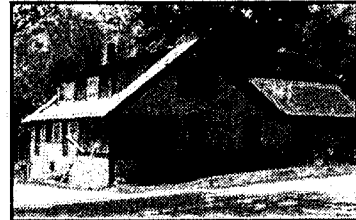
HOWE HILL RD, GREENWOOD: Building lot with over 200' of road frontage on the road to Mt. Abram Ski Area! Not too far from Greenwood's many lakes & ponds, and also only minutes from Sunday River's slopes, this is the perfect spot to build your primary or secondary home. **\$29,000**

UPPER WESTSIDE, MT. ABRAM: One acre buildable lot close to Mt. Abram Ski Lodge! Whether you're looking to build your own home or you're in need of a second home, this lot is a very desirable one. Choice of two local ski resorts, nearby lakes & ponds for summer recreation, or if it's the quiet you're after, this lot is on a private road! **\$54,900**

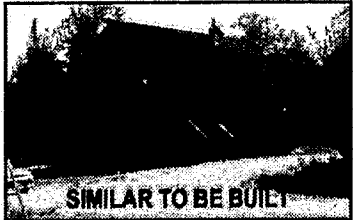
MT. ABRAM RD, GREENWOOD: One-and-a-half acre building lot on the road leading to Mt. Abram Ski Area. Location is convenient to the area's surrounding recreation which includes lakes, ponds, rivers and Sunday River. Come and walk the lines of this lot and imagine the possibilities. **\$39,900**



Andrews Hill Rd, Woodstock: This great house has 3BR's, 2 full baths and sits on a private 1.4 acre lot on a dead-end road. Very nice yard with lots of space for gardens & play areas. Interior is sunny with lots of new paint and new carpeting. Priced right at **\$120,000**



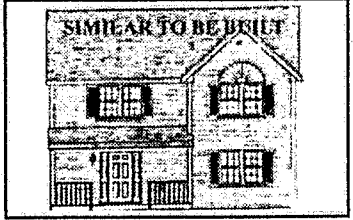
Main St, So. Woodstock: This well maintained cape is waiting for you to call it your home! With a large beautiful backyard, deck, perennials, screened porch, 4 bedrooms and close proximity to both the Bethel and Paris areas, you'll be charmed by all it has to offer. Ask for a showing today. **\$99,900**



Blake View Subdivision, Mt. Abram: Currently under construction: Log-sided home in Mt. Abram area's newest wooded subdivision. Plans are for 3BR's, 2 Baths, lots of glass, a sunny pine interior and a wrap-around deck overlooking the gorgeous mountain view. Customize it now and make it your own! **\$209,900**



Taylor Woods, Bethel: Dream-come-true log-sided house on 1.9 acres with DEEDED ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER ACCESS. Architectural windows, majestic stone fireplace, wrap-around deck, blonde knotty pine interior, 5BRs, 3 ½ baths and the chance to still pick out colors! Beautifully designed with a large family in mind, or live upstairs and rent the in-law apartment down stairs, your choice. This house is going to be spectacular! **\$349,900**



Paradise Rd, Bethel: Bethel's premiere neighborhood welcomes this new-to-be-built 2 story, 3BR colonial w farmers porch. Walk to the golf course or to Main St. shopping and enjoy being only a few short miles from Sunday River downhill skiing, Bethel Inn cross-country skiing, and lake & river adventures. Still time to pick out trim & colors and to add your personal touch to the layout! **\$284,000**



Harbor Rd, Woodstock: Three bedroom cape w/attached 2 car garage sits off of a quiet road. Relax in front of the beautiful stone fireplace or go outside for a bike ride with the kids. Property also has a fenced-in area w/ barn for horses. Ideal spot to raise a family; house sits on 2 acres and is just minutes to West Paris or Bethel. **NEWLY REDUCED TO \$149,000**



East Bethel Rd, Greenwood: This cape with double dormers is located right on the Greenwood/Bethel town line and has 5BRs and 2 Baths. Plenty of room for a ski crowd or growing family and convenient to Bethel, Mt. Abram and Sunday River. Within walking distance to church, the post office, the town store, and the lake & boat launch. Nice backyard & location make it worth a look. **REDUCED TO \$109,000**



Main St, Greenwood: Frontage on Alder River! Known as the Houghton House in the town's history books, this period Greek revival cape needs restoration to bring back its former glory. Tin ceilings, hardwood floors, 4+ bedrooms, encl. porch & hot tub room overlooking the river & boat dock make it worth a look. **\$7,500. CASH BACK at closing for repairs! \$79,900**



Bird Hill, Bethel: Enjoy views of the mountains as you sit on the balcony of this 3BR contemporary. This would be a perfect ski house as it is close to Mt. Abram and Sunday River Ski Areas, or it would make a wonderful year-round dwelling. Paved driveway and a wooded lot makes for very little mowing!! **\$149,900**



Fleming Rd, Bethel: New 1 1/2 log home on one acre in a great neighborhood, only 4 1/2 mi from Bethel's center. Positioned off the newly rebuilt road to NH, you have your choice of skiing Sunday River or Wildcat in the White Mtns! A beautiful babbling brook on this property is a bonus and you'll love the warm authentic log interior, cathedral ceilings and extensive use of glass. With a farmer's porch and deck overlooking the brook, this new house has everything to make it your next home. Only **\$189,900**

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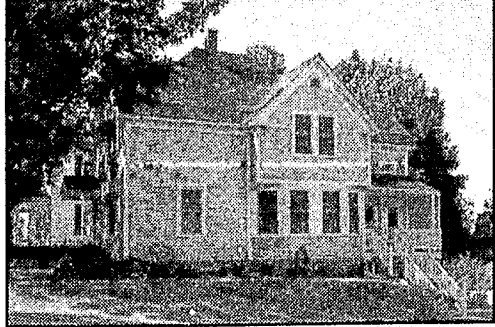
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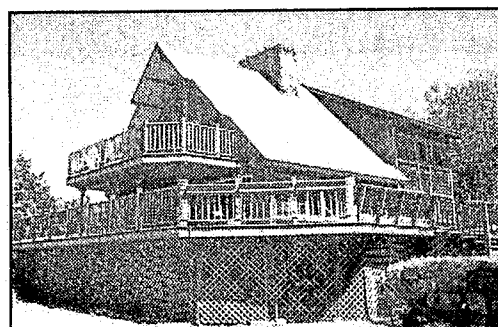
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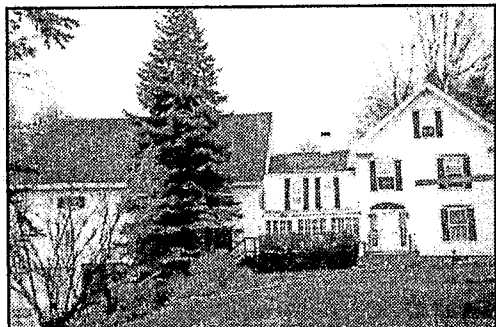
DELIGHTFUL CAPE
Delightful Cape en-route to Sunday River Ski Resort. 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths with nice features including hardwood floors, renovated kitchen. Great location for residential or commercial opportunities! \$239,000



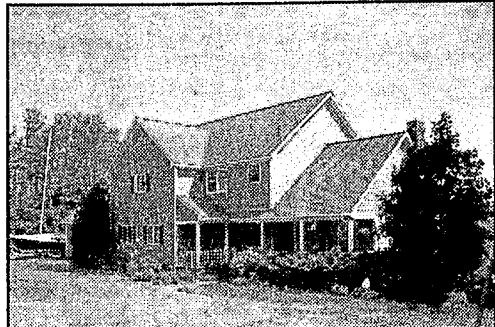
STUNNING RENOVATION IN RUMFORD
This sunny well appointed home has a great floor plan and well landscaped yard. Located in one of the historic sections of Rumford it is within walking distance to shopping and schools. Fully updated this home is in perfect move-in condition. \$159,000



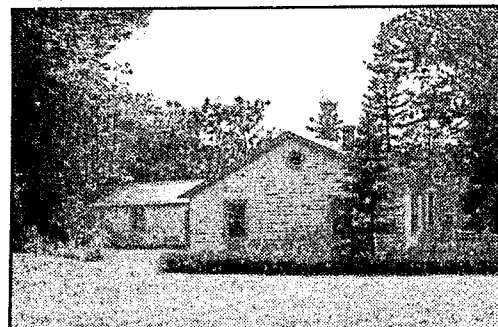
SECLUDED MOUNTAIN GETAWAY
6,600 sq. ft. home w/ northern mountain views. Situated on 52 acres, located just 15 minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort. 3,200 sq. ft. w/ wrap around deck, cedar siding and a nicely landscaped yard w/ large septic system. 4 blue fireplaces. Loaded glass cabinets, tile floors w/ radiant heating in the kitchen. Marble and granite counter tops and a Jacuzzi tub in the first floor bath. Finished walk-out basement with unlimited potential. Truly a must see property with many fine details. \$349,000



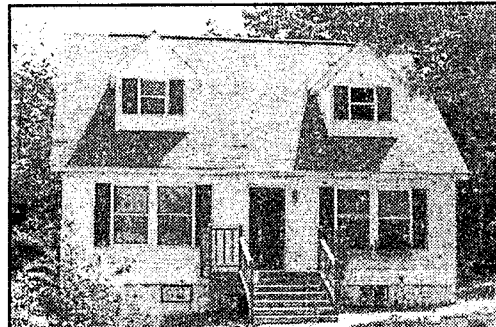
HISTORIC WATERFORD HOME
Charming and well maintained Historic home located in the lovely village of Waterford, Maine. Seven to eight bedrooms, spacious dining and living rooms, sun porch and additional rooms with unlimited possibilities. \$399,000



PARADISE HOME, UNPARALLELED VIEWS
Delightful contemporary home located on the desirable Paradise Road in the Bethel village. Featuring a generous open floor plan with many fine details including: brick fireplace in the living room with cathedral ceilings, formal dining room, large deck with unparalleled mountain views, beautifully landscaped yard situated on a 2.7 acre lot. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths with unfinished day light walk-out basement. \$479,000



NEWLY RENOVATED HOME
Newly renovated two bedroom home on a quiet residential street in the village of Bethel. Renovations include new kitchen, tiled bathroom, cathedral ceilings and much, much more. \$137,000



NEWLY BUILT BETHEL HOME
Newly built home located in Bethel village within walking distance of town amenities. Three levels - 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths plus spacious family room and finished basement with unlimited potential. \$243,000



UPDATED FARMHOUSE
Nicely appointed farmhouse with new farmers porch, pool, 2 fenced in yards, pasture, barn, garage, large family room with fireplace, new kitchen, patio area, nicely landscaped. \$345,000



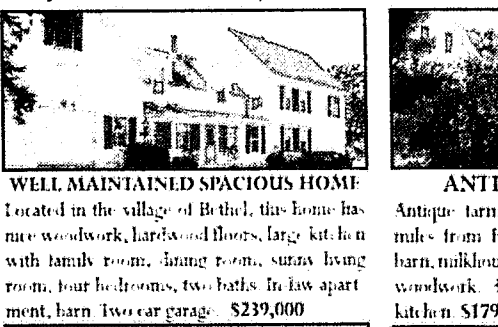
MT. ABRAM SKI HOUSE
Great ski house situated on a double .8 acre lot on a quietly traveled road. Large wrap-around deck plus additional deck off master bedroom, 3 bedrooms, open floor plan. Sold fully-furnished, turnkey. \$132,900



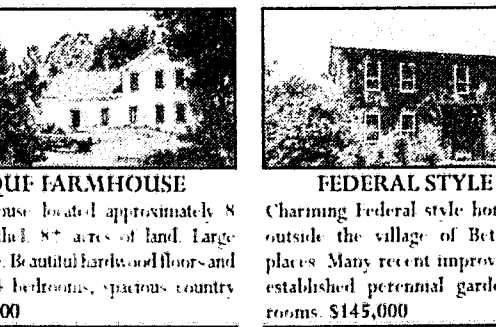
SUPER VACATION HOME
Perfect vacation home in Coombs Village a short walk from a trolley stop to the Sunday River Ski Resort. Open floor plan, den, 3 bedrooms & 2 bathrooms to accommodate you and your weekend company. A large deck off the back has a hot tub with outdoor speakers and lights for apres ski relaxation. Strong rental history. \$224,900



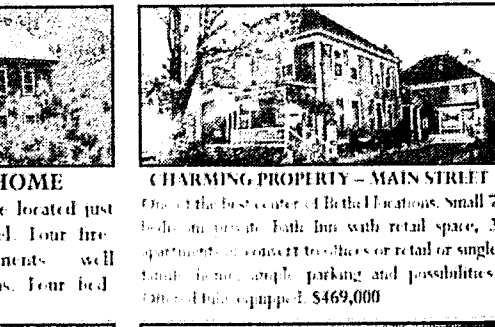
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This new home in Red House Farm Village, a unique condominium community, has an unobstructed view of White Hat. The great room with a fireplace and oversized kitchen make this the perfect gathering spot for family and friends. Amenities include cross country and snowshoe trails, a small pond and trolley service to the mountain. What's more, you ski home to your door. \$329,900



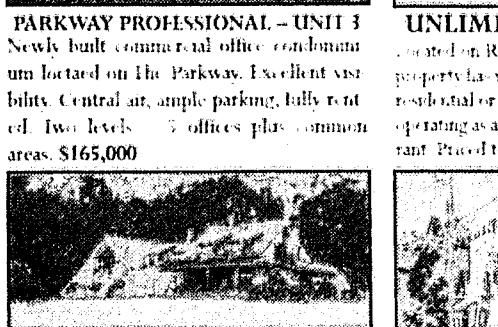
WELL MAINTAINED SPACIOUS HOME
Located in the village of Bethel, this home has nice woodwork, hardwood floors, large kitchen with family room, dining room, sunny living room, four bedrooms, two baths. In-law apartment, barn two car garage. \$239,000



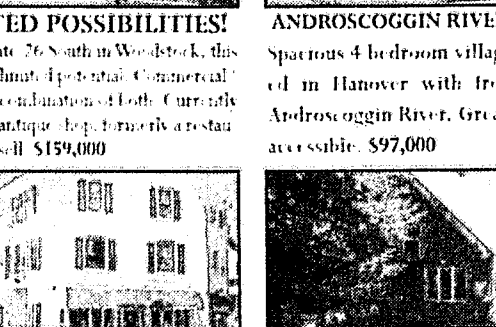
ANTIQUE FARMHOUSE
Antique farmhouse located approximately 8 miles from Bethel. 8+ acres of land. Large barn, milkhouse. Beautiful hardwood floors and woodwork. 3-4 bedrooms, spacious country kitchen. \$179,000



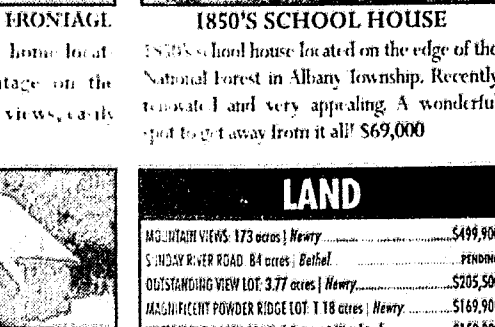
FEDERAL STYLE HOME
Charming Federal style home located just outside the village of Bethel. Four fireplaces. Many recent improvements. Well established perennial gardens. Four bedrooms. \$145,000



PARKWAY PROFESSIONAL - UNIT 3
Newly built commercial office condominium located on the Parkway. Excellent visibility. Central air, ample parking, fully rented. Two levels - 5 offices plus common areas. \$165,000



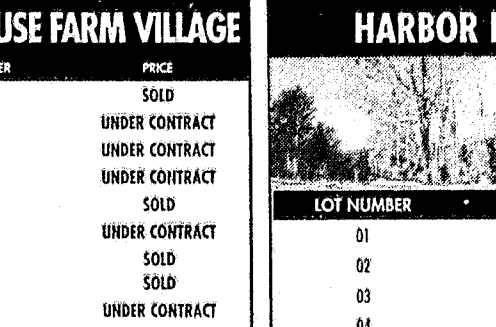
UNLIMITED POSSIBILITIES!
Located on Route 26 South in Woodstock, this property has unlimited potential. Commercial residential or a combination of both. Currently operating as an antique shop, tavern or restaurant. Priced to sell. \$159,000



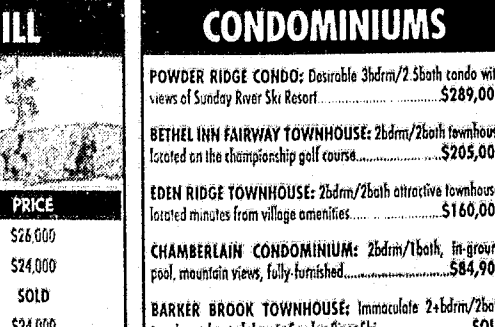
ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER FRONTAGE
Spacious 4 bedroom village home located in Hanover with frontage on the Androscoggin River. Great views, easily accessible. \$97,000



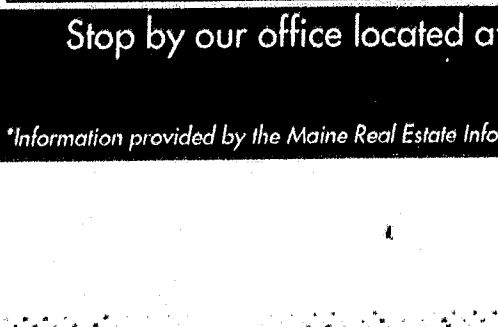
HISTORIC LANDMARK
Privately situated at the end of a dead end road, only minutes from Bethel, this antique home has 4 bedrooms, a large barn. 69+ acres of land with beautiful mountain views. \$425,000



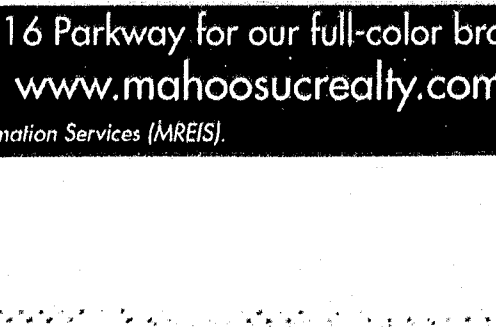
WONDERFUL LOCATION
Renovated center of it all location in the village of Bethel. First floor commercial space with unlimited possibilities plus 4 fully equipped apartments. A wonderful opportunity. \$499,900



SUNDAY RIVER VILLAGE
Sunday River Village. Located only minutes from the trails and South Ridge base area, this four bedroom ski house is a must see! Great rental history, awesome location! \$259,000

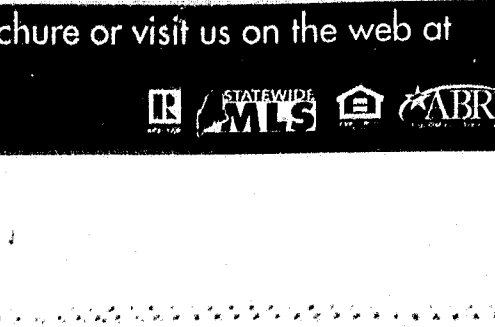


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Located just minutes from Sunday River Ski Resort and the all new Sunday River Golf Club which promises to redefine mountain golf. Powder Ridge at Sunday River is the premier spot for your future vacation home or primary residence in the mountains. Call for availability and pricing.



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LOT NUMBER	PRICE
09	SOLD
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11	UNDER CONTRACT
12	UNDER CONTRACT
13	SOLD
14	UNDER CONTRACT
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16	SOLD
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18	SOLD
19	UNDER CONTRACT
20	\$78,500
21	\$74,900
22	SOLD



HARBOR HILL

LOT NUMBER	PRICE
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03	SOLD
04	\$24,000
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06	\$23,000
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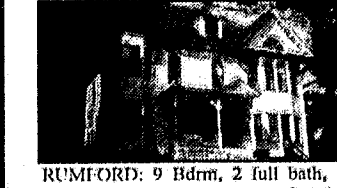
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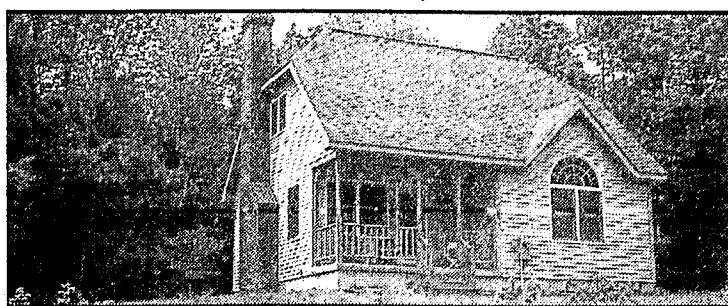
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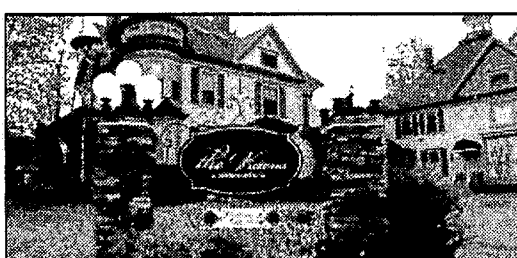
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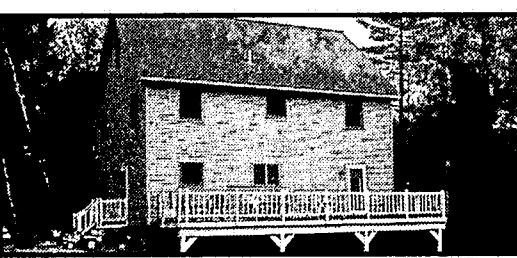
Bailey Road, Bethel: Only one mile from Bethel Village in a most sought-after neighborhood, find this impressive Contemporary of deceptive proportions & impeccable quality, ideally situated for luxurious primary or vacation home living. Offering over 3,000+/- sq. ft. of tasteful, newly appointed living area, you'll marvel at the well constructed, thought out & open floorplan of this dwelling. A dramatic cathedralized Kitchen w/ all appliances, adjacent eating area & outdoor screened porch, welcoming Living Room w/ woodstove. Recent professional painting showcases incredible techniques applied in warm color schemes, enriching the interior even more. 2 BRs PLUS Master Suite w/ walk-in closet & Full Bath, Laundry & 2-Car Garage. A brand new lower level houses additional 3 BRs, 1 1/2 Baths, Family Room & Kitchenette. Outstanding design merges style, efficiency & beauty, making this offering A Must See at \$284,000!

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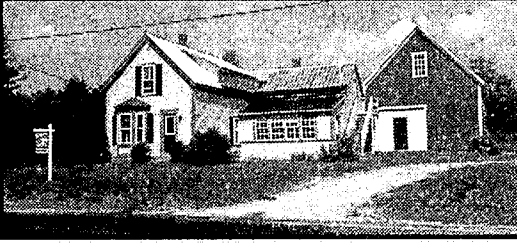
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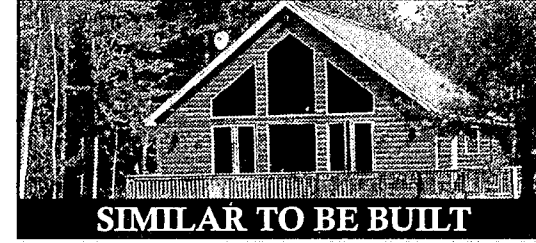
New Listing - Bryant Pond Village: A Historic New Englander, circa 1900, is situated on a highly visible yet undeniably quaint country setting. Located on Route 26, this property was the site of a well-known pottery shop & now serves as a 2-family dwelling. The upper level apartment is comprised of a LR, Kit, 3 BRs & Bath; the first floor space houses a LR, Kit, 1 BR & Bath. Whatever Your Needs, This Economical Package May Be Just The One To Suit You! \$79,900



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Eden Ridge 5-E: Sought after tri-level townhouse offers glorious mountain vista views and a convenient Bethel Village location. 2 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 Baths, fireplace, decks, furnishings, washer, dryer, garage. A Rare Find at \$149,000!

SUNDAY RIVER SKI-IN/SKI-OUT CONDOS!		LOCKE MOUNTAIN FALL LINE	
BROOKSIDE BUILDING I		D-3 4 Bdrm/3 1/2 Bath	SOLD
I-A-106 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	PENDING	N-201 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	PENDING
I-B-407 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	N-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	PENDING
I-A-408 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	E-102 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-202 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	F-116 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-A-202 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	MERRILL BROOK	
I-B-405 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	I-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
I-B-408 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	III-H 2 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	SOLD
II-B-210 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	SOUTHRIDGE	
II-B-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	E-6 3 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$355,000
II-A-213 Studio/1 Bath	SOLD	F-1 3 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$394,000
II-A-208 Studio/1 Bath	SOLD	C-2 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
II-B-303 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	SUNRISE	
II-B-213 Studio/1 Bath	SOLD	A-111 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
II-A-109 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	NORTHEAK	
CASCADIA		II-111 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-4 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$99,900	I-309 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
B-18 Studio/1 Bath		I-203 2 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD
A-18 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	WHITE CAP	
C-16 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	B-208 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$96,000
A-23 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	SOLD	A-305 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$99,900
		B-401 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$104,900

JORDAN GRAND QUARTERSHARE		284/286-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	
141-A Studio/1 Bath	\$21,000	125-A 1 BR+Loft/1 Bath	\$69,000
139-C Studio/1 Bath	\$26,000	123-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$105,000
261-B Studio/1 Bath	\$28,500	240/242/244-A 3 Bdrm/3 Bath	\$119,000
161-A Studio/1 Bath	\$28,900	123-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD
233-D Studio/1 Bath	\$29,900	GRAND SUMMIT QUARTERSHARE	
251-D Studio/1 Bath	\$30,000	115-D Studio/1 Bath	\$13,900
253-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$41,000	121-C Studio/1 Bath	\$16,000
144-C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$46,000	321-C Studio/1 Bath	\$17,000
247/248 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$48,900	101-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$26,500
124/126-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$49,000	208/210-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$33,000
253-C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$49,000	188/190-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$33,500
243/245-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	374-D 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$34,500
343/347-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	188/190-D 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$35,000
289/211-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	373-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$36,000
223/122-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$49,900	227/229-D 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$38,000
254-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$49,500	284/286-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$38,000
148-D 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$50,000	364-D 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$38,500
362-D 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$52,000	366-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$38,500
156-C 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$53,900	370-A 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$38,900
224/226-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$55,000	260/262-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$39,000
253-B 1 Bdrm/1 Bath	\$55,000	120/122-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$41,000
248/250-C 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$59,900	123/125-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$42,000
111/113-A 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$59,000	289/291-B 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$43,000
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#5-E 2 Bdrm/1 1/2 Bath	\$149,000		
45 MILL HILL TOWNHOMES			
#5 3 Bdrm/2 Bath	\$259,000		
RIVERBEND			
#14 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	PENDING		
#15 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	PENDING		
#2 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD		
#5 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD		
#33 2 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD		
SUNDAY RIVER ESTATES			
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#2 3 Bdrm/2 Bath	SOLD		



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Obituaries

ALFRED E. ALLEN

Alfred E. Allen, 76, of 15 Jackson Crossing Road, South Paris, passed peacefully at home on Saturday, Sept. 4, 2004.

Born in Denver, Colo., Aug. 19, 1928, he was later adopted by his grandparents, Peter and Siiri Hakkarainen, and educated in Woodstock.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II. He was retired from the Maine Department of Transportation. He also enjoyed traveling and camping with his family.

He is survived by his wife of 29 years, Millie Hazelton Allen; a son, Vaikko Allen of Augusta; a daughter, Helen Brown of Michigan; step-daughters Darlene Nicholas of New London, Conn., Judith Harrington of Dover, N.H., Kathy Benson of Woodstock, Lori Hill of Waterford; a step-son, Ronald Hazelton of Flor-

ence, Texas; 12 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; plus 10 step grandchildren; and six step great-grandchildren.

A graveside service was held for family on Thursday, Sept. 9.

HERBERT W. KITTREDGE

Herbert "Herb" W. Kittredge, 84, of Hanover, died Sept. 6, 2004 at the Maine Veterans' Home in South Paris.

He was born in Berlin, N.H., on Sept. 19, 1919 the son of James B. and Elizabeth M. (King) Kittredge. He was an Army Veteran of WWII and had worked as a carpenter most of his life. He married Ruth Rolfe on April 1, 1939.

Herb was a member of the American Legion Post 81 of Bethel as well as the 40/8 of the Legion.

He was an avid snowmobile and a member of the Windy Valley Snowmobile Club where the club house is dedicated to him, and he

worked for 17 years at Maine Handicapped Skiing at Sunday River.

He is survived by his wife of 65 years, Ruth (Rolfe) Kittredge of South Paris; one son, Walter Kittredge and his wife Sandra Coyle of Ft. Meyers, Fla.; two daughters, Patricia M. Brown and her husband Blair C. Sr. of Brunswick and Kathy L. Bean and her husband Harlan of South Paris; one brother, Henry Kittredge and his wife Marie of Georgia; one sister, Ella Rolfe of Waterford; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and special friends, Keith and Lia Durgin and their son Luke of Newry. He was predeceased by one son, Laurier M. Kittredge in 1975; two brothers, Lewis Kittredge and Arthur Kittredge; and one sister, Lillian Herrick.

Graveside funeral services were held at the Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel, on Sunday, Sept. 12, with the Rev. Doug Dingley officiating. The family suggests those who wish may make memorials in Herb's name to the Maine Handicapped Skiing, c/o Wendy Iseman, 8 Sundance Lane, Newry, ME 04261.

PHYLLIS L. PERREAULT

Phyllis L. Perreault, 87, of South Paris, died Saturday, Sept. 11, 2004 at Market Square Health Care Center, South Paris.

Born in Mechanic Falls, Feb. 26, 1917, the daughter of Benjamin and Alice Goodwin Strout, she graduated from Mechanic Falls High School.

She had been a homemaker all of her life. She married Harry L. Perreault on April 19, 1939, who passed away in 1987.

She enjoyed knitting.

Survivors include five sons, Marchian Crane of Mechanic Falls, Benjamin Perreault of Norway, David Perreault of Mechanic Falls, Michael Perreault of Greenwood, and Jon Perreault of Massachusetts; a daughter, Joan Haskell of Massachusetts; many grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a son, Edmund Perreault; a daughter, Judith Girard; a sister, Helen Syphers; and two brothers, Harold Thorpe and Clyde Thorpe.

Graveside services will be held 2 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 18, at Maple Grove Cemetery, Mechanic Falls.

BARBARA A. BUTTRICK

Barbara A. Buttrick of 168 Clinton Street, Portland, died Saturday, Sept. 11, 2004, after a brief illness. Family and music were her inspiration and happiness.

Mrs. Buttrick was born May 19, 1913, in Hillsboro, N.H., daughter of George and Antoinette Childs Hall. She graduated from local schools and with a recommendation from Mrs. H.H. Amy Beach, studied piano privately with Harvey Whittemore of Manchester, N.H., and Boston, Mass., for several years.

Teaching piano in Hillsboro and Henniker, N.H., she was influential in bringing musical artists to these communi-

ties for concerts. She was most successful in raising money for the Edward MacDowell Colony in Petersboro, N.H.

Inspired by her daughter Polly, she helped organize the first school in Portland to serve children with mental retardation.

She is survived by her son, Norman L. Buttrick of Portland, who with the help of home caregivers, for the last seven years, cared for his Mom at home. Other survivors include Catherine McGuire, Norm's companion, Robert and Anita Buttrick, Barbara Buttrick, Todd and Victoria Buttrick, Joanne and Joseph Von Culin, Robert Hall and companion Jan Bedula, Evelyn Hall, David and Leni Buttrick, Harold and Peggy Buttrick, Albert and Mary Lee Buttrick, and their families. She was predeceased by her husband, Lloyd W. Buttrick in 1976 and in 1989 her daughter, Pauline.

A graveside service will be held Saturday, Oct. 16, 9:30 a.m. at Evergreen Cemetery in Portland. A memorial service will be held at 11 a.m. on Oct. 16 at the State Street Church, 159 State Street, Portland. In lieu of flowers, please send donations in Barbara's memory to the State Street Church Sanctuary Renovation Fund, State Street Church, 159 State Street, Portland, ME 04101.

AUDREY M. HADLEY

Audrey M. (Chase) Hadley, 77, of West Paris, died Tuesday, Sept. 14, 2004 at the Ledgewood Living Center in West Paris.

She was born in West Paris on July 24, 1927, the daughter of Reynold E. and Marjorie O. (Farr) Chase and was educated in West Paris schools. She married Maurice L. Hadley on Nov. 11, 1944; they were divorced in 1970 and remained friends ever since.

She had worked as a store clerk at Chase's General Store, working with her father, and at the National Co-Op, retiring in 1992.

She was a member of West Paris Grange 298, the West Paris Universalist Church and was a charter member of the West Paris Historical Society.

She is survived by one daughter, Carmen J. Hadley of West Paris; one son, Roger E. Hadley of West Paris; three grandchildren, Dr. Deborah Hadley and her husband Greg Bowman of Waltham, Mass., Andrew Hadley of New York and Ryan Hadley of Ellsworth; her former husband, Maurice Hadley of West Paris; a sister-in-law, DeDe Chase of West Paris; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents and a brother, Everett W. Chase.

Relatives and friends are invited to call at the Andrews Funeral Home, 64 Andrews Road, South Woodstock, on Friday evening, Sept. 17 from 6 to 8 p.m. where funeral services will be held on Saturday, Sept. 18 at 1 p.m. with Pastor Lloyd Waterhouse officiating. Burial will follow in the Wayside Cemetery, West Paris. Memorials in her memory may be made to the West Paris Historical Society, West Paris, ME 04289.

Card of Thanks

Friends, neighbors, and relatives: Your support has sustained us through Betsy's sudden and unexpected death. The visits, thoughts, prayers, phone calls, food, the beautiful flowers, donations to the epilepsy fund and the many cards have been a great comfort to us. Each family member was supported in various ways. Thanks to the American Legion Auxiliary, the Grange, past and present SAD #44 staff, Main Line Products, friends Leslie and Cheryl, who were always there for us. Thanks to Cliff Gray from Greenleaf's for all your understanding. Thanks Norm Rust for your visits and unending support and the beautiful service that you did for Betsy.

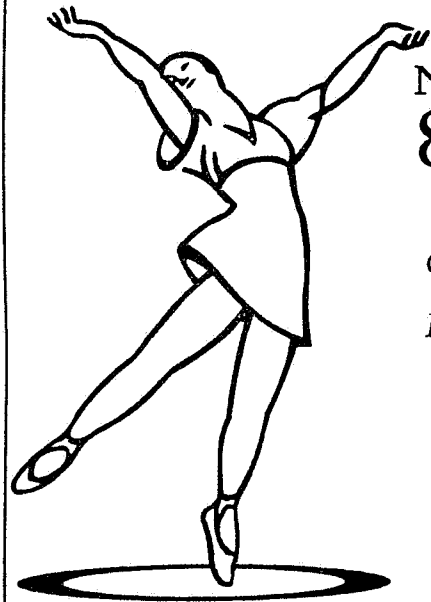
Betsy's Family
Mom & Dad, Brothers & Families
& Raymond

Card of Thanks

I would like to start with thanking everyone who was at the accident who helped me and also for helping Bear. All the phone calls, cards, and kind words were very appreciated. The good friends who came to our home to check in and just give us a hug or hand shake. A very special thanks to: Stephanie Bolen, Christen Mason, Robin Bennett, David Daye, Dave Wilson from D.A. Wilson, and Brandi Brooks. A big thank you to: Bethel Rescue, Oxford County Sheriff Phil Taylor, Gilead & Bethel Fire, Maine State Trooper Kyle Tisley, Stephens Memorial Hospital Emergency staff and the staff at Bethel Animal Hospital.

The Bennett Family

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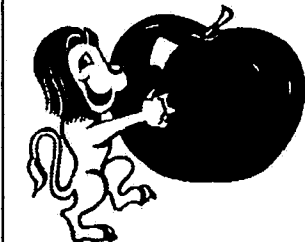
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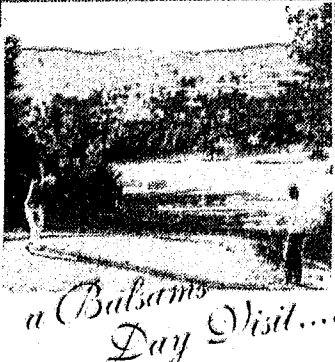
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SCARP	ONA	SPIRE	ACE
TRIADS	OMIT	DEF	EXES
THE	AFRICAN	QUEEN	
POPS	RBI	SELA	TOLLED
OLE	DELTA	OAR	AARON
SIR	DUKE	PRINCE	VALIANT
HOURS	RAN	PEAL	SOW
IT	IS	ITCH	FLAUBERT
ENZ	YME	LEHAR	SSE
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